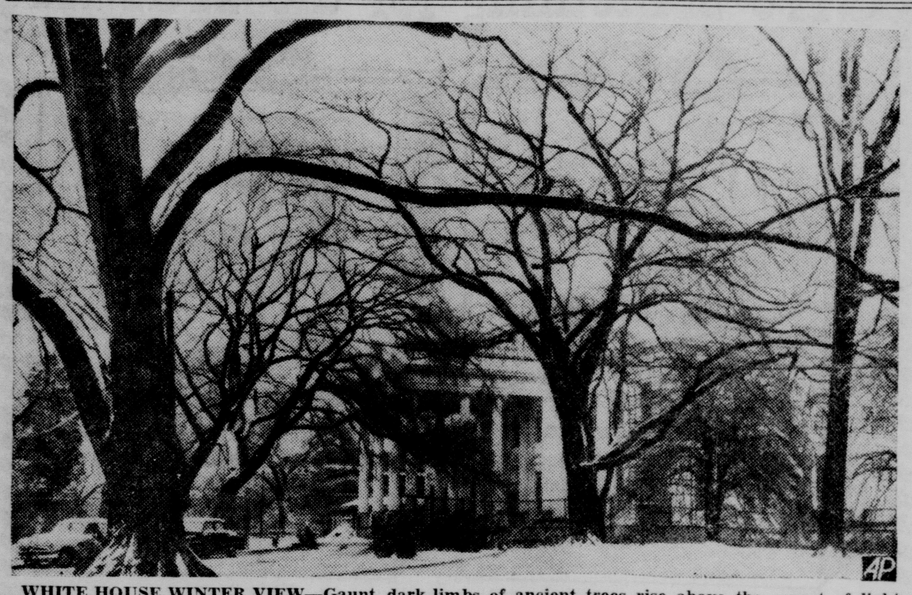
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WHITE HOUSE WINTER VIEW—Gaunt, dark limbs of ancient trees rise above the carpet of light snow on the lawn of the White House (background). The fence and ladder scaffolding (right) around the president's residence show that the remodeling job is still unfinished. (AP WIREPHOTO)

## Snow and Cold Still on Menu For This Area

### New Storm Striking With Heavy Snow, Then Cold Blasts

By The Associated Press

The northern two-thirds of the nation, buffeted by snow and cold for a week, was struck by a fresh storm today. Behind the storm was a new blast of icy air.

At least 228 deaths have been attributed to the severe weather of the last week.

The new storm whistled eastward, dumping tons of snow, sleet and freezing rain. Temperatures tumbled along the route of the storm, dipping far below zero in many areas.

Freezing rain glazed thoroughfares in the Kansas City area and created a hopeless traffic snarl. Many schools and business houses were closed.

**East From Colorado**

The storm pelted the Rocky Mountain area first. Colorado had snow and frigid temperatures. Denver, with five inches of new snow, reported a low of six below zero. Limon, Colo., had -11.

Then the storm spread over the plains states, the upper Mississippi valley and the Great Lakes region. It was expected to strike today in Virginia, Maryland, Western Pennsylvavnia and most of West Virginia and Ohio.

Colder weather headed into the midwest behind the snow. New England and northern parts of New York state had sub-zero readings, too.

**Snow, Then Cold**

The severe weather appeared to follow the pattern of the past week, heavy snow and the ensuing cold. The storm-battered areas have reported a total of 226 deaths attributed to the severe weather of the past week.

There was considerable drifting and blowing in the fresh snow belt, adding further danger to the already hazardous driving conditions.

The U. S. weather bureau in Chicago said the sub-zero belt extended as far south as northeastern Colorado and northwestern Kansas.

**-25 In Montana**

It was 25 below zero in Havre, Mont., early today and -19 in Sheridan, Wyo. The cold spots in the northeastern section of the country included -19 at Albany N. Y., and -11 at Burlington, Vt.

It was chilly in parts of the south. A freezing rain and sleet pelted areas in the middle Mississippi valley, the lower Ohio valley and in parts of Georgia. Rain fell southward into the lower Mississippi valley and the east Gulf states.

**No Relief In Sight**

There appeared no immediate relief from the severe cold in the midwest. Temperatures generally were above zero in most of the north central region today but the icy blasts were expected to move in during the day. The forecast was for below zero readings tonight and Friday.

Between 5 and 10 inches of new snow was in prospect for most of the midwest storm belt. It was generally fair over most of the eastern states but the fresh fall of snow which put record amounts on the ground in many areas was expected to reach the northeastern region tonight or Friday.

**Miami Still Warm**

The far southwest and the deep south appeared to have escaped the cold. The 28 above reading in Charlotte, N. C., early today compared with 68 in New Orleans; 72 in Brownsville, Tex., 73 in Miami, and 51 in Los Angeles.






Survey of Merchants Here Shows---

## *Weather Stopping a Record, But Business Reported Good*

Sedalia business houses easily could be doing a record breaking business if it were not for the present weather conditions. Despite the hazardous traveling and other elements, Christmas shopping in Sedalia is up to the level of past years.

At mid-day Thursday merchants were optimistic about the three future days. The majority believed Friday, Saturday and Monday would be banner days in business.

Many businessmen reported that Dec. 8, the third Saturday before Christmas and traditionally their biggest day in volume, was again the top day to date.

A poll of managers of large Sedalia stores showed most of them optimistic about night shopping, despite Tuesday night being a little on the slim side. Most believed the best was yet to come.

Opinions varied on rural trade. Some owners believed this trade was below par, others thought it was better than average and attributed the weather as the prime factor in that farmers couldn't work, while some said rural trade was the same as in the past.

**Tendency To Late Buying**

The manager of one store said that there is a bigger tendency for late shopping then ever before. He said a portion shopped early for bigger gifts but the majority shopped late.

Another trend a manager of a ladies ready to wear store noted was that as Christmas nears the lookers dwindled in number and the buyers increased rapidly.

Although night buying was not good Tuesday, one clerk stated that the persons who were downtown were there to buy. They were the quick type shoppers and thus the night was made worthwhile for merchants.

**More Expensive Gifts**

A local jeweler noted that merchandise sold this year for gifts was expensive. Few inexpensive gifts were purchased, according to him.

One local store had its best dollar day Tuesday, to the manager's surprise. He wouldn't predict a better day out of the next three, but hoped for another just as good.

Probably the largest gain of any stores contacted was a men's clothing store where business was up 30 per cent over a year ago.

In all, the survey of businessmen indicates that 1951's Christmas buying rush could have been a record year if the weather hadn't been bad. But still 1951 has been a good year for most local merchants and they have three big days remaining.

## Springfield Fire Damages Building In Downtown Area

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Dec. 20—(AP)—Fire early today badly damaged a two-story business building in downtown Springfield and briefly threatened the neighboring Colonial Hotel, some of whose guests were evacuated.

The blaze was discovered around 11 p. m. last night, and firemen battled the stubborn flames for three hours before bringing them under control.

Two fire fighters were overcome by smoke.

Three stores and five offices housed in the brick building were gutted. The roof of the structure collapsed at the height of the blaze, which caused damage unofficially estimated at more than $100,000.

Guests with rooms in the south side of the Colonial Hotel were ordered from the building, which suffered some smoke and water damage.

## Federal Deficit May Be Only Six Billion, Not 7.5

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20—(AP)—Government officials are scaling down their earlier estimate that the federal deficit this year will be 7½ billion dollars. They think now it may be held to six billion.

Since the fiscal year began July 1, the government has been going in the Red at the rate of $2.25 a week for each man, woman and child in the nation—an average total of 49 million dollars every day.

Already spending exceed income by more than $8,281,000,000. But big tax payments next year are expected to cut that down.

Secretary of the Treasury Snyder's last official estimate was that the government would spend 7½ billion dollars more than it took in by the time the fiscal year ends next June 30.

Authorities said today, however, that this estimate is being revised and new figures will be included in President Truman's annual budget message to Congress next month.

## Driver of Bus, That Killed 24 British Boy Cadets, Charged

CHATHAM, Eng., Dec. 20—(AP)—The driver of a bus which plowed through a file of marching boy cadets here on Dec. 4, killing outright or fatally injuring 24, was accused today of dangerous driving.

The driver, John G. Samson, also was charged with "driving without due care and attention." He was ordered to appear for a court hearing on Jan. 7.

## Five Swiss Red Cross Officials to Korea

GENEVA, Switzerland, Dec. 20—(AP)—Five senior officials of the international Red Cross committee, including a medical officer, left here last night for Korea, the committee announced today.

The committee declined to give any other information about the trip.

Staffed and operated exclusively by Swiss citizens, the committee is responsible for prisoners of war under the Geneva war conventions, and the five officials were expected to deal with matters arising from the exchange of prisoner of war lists between the Communists and the United Nations.

## Grunewald Will Demand Hearing On Tax Scandal

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20—(AP)—The lawyer for Henry (the Dutchman) Grunewald insisted today he will demand an open hearing for his client before a House committee investigating tax scandals.

Attorney William P. Maloney gave that word to reporters as he and Gruenwald, a mystery figure in the tax probe, walked into the House office building for a closed-door meeting with the ways and means subcommittee.

Although both men appeared smiling and affable, Maloney did all the talking and this was his only statement:

"I feel that my client is entitled to an open hearing and I shall insist on it."

The subcommittee wants to question Gruenwald about his associations with Charles Oliphant, recently resigned chief counsel of the Internal Revenue Bureau. Gruenwald also has been portrayed as an old friend of George J. Schoeneman, who resigned as revenue commissioner last June.

## Greece Gets a Seat On Security Council

PARIS, Dec. 20—(AP)—American-backed Greece won a seat on the United Nations security council today, beating out White Russia on the 19th ballot.

The vote was 39 for Greece, and 16 for White Russia.

A two-thirds majority of U. N. members present and voting in the general assembly test was required for election.

## See Yule Mail Record

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20—(AP)—This year's Christmas mail appears likely to set a record.

Post office officials said today preliminary surveys indicate the volume this year will be considerably higher than in 1950.

## To Speed Captives' Return

### But POW Releases Depend on Success Of Truce Talks That Near Deadline

MUNSAN, Korea, Dec. 20—(AP)—The U. S. Eighth Army completed plans today to speed Allied prisoners homeward whenever they are freed from Communist prison camps. Simultaneously truce negotiators called in staff officers to try to figure out how to supervise an armistice.

A truce must be signed before prisoners will be released.

U. N. delegates suggested temporarily turning over to staff officers the problem of how to supervise a truce. It was a new effort to break a long deadlock. The Communists promptly agreed. Staff officers went to work immediately.

**"One-Shot" Effort**

An Allied spokesman called it a "one-shot effort" to break the deadlock before the Dec. 27 deadline.

The regular subcommittee will meet Friday at 1 p.m. (11 p.m. EST Thursday) regardless of the outcome of the staff officers' session.

There has been no announcement as to whether the subcommittee on Allied negotiators said they needed more time to check the list of 11,559 Allied prisoners supplied by the Communists Wednesday.

The actual method of exchanging prisoners remains to be worked out.

**To Fly POWs To Japan**

But the Eighth Army announced everything is set to fly all U.N. personnel to Japan after they are freed. Plans also are being made for moving 132,472 Chinese and North Korean prisoners northward from Allied prison camps.

Allied prisoners will be taken first to reception centers in Korea for identification, preliminary medical checkups and new uniforms. Then they will be flown to Japan.

South Koreans will be processed through Korean medical channels.

In the truce town of Panmunjom staff officers took as a basis for discussion the latest Communist proposal for policing an armistice, with some U. N. modifications.

**No Demand Modification**

Allied negotiators said they would accept the Red plan as a starting point. But they specified there would be no modification of the U. N. demand for a ban on the repair or construction of North Korean airfields and a freeze on the military strength of both sides, with full rotation.

The Allied suggestion to call in staff officers raised immediate speculation that the U. N. might take a different approach to the deadlocked issue.

It was pointed out that staff officers worked out an agreement on the cease-fire line—the only agenda item tentatively settled so far—after negotiators had reached agreement in principle.

**Deadlock On 4 Points**

An official U. N. spokesman, Brig. Gen. William P. Nuckols, said the staff officers meeting was proposed because there has been no progress for days.

"It is, in effect, another approach to the solution of the dilemma that the joint sub-delegations find themselves in," Nuckols said.

Subcommittees were deadlocked on four points:

1. Limitation of military capabilities, including air fields.
2. Effective inspecton and observation of the ground.
3. Aerial observation.
4. Rotation of troops and replenishment of equipment and supplies.

## *20 on Red List Have Been Reported Killed*

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20—(AP)—The Army said today the Communist list of American prisoners contains the names of 20 Army men carried on official U. S. casualty lists as killed in action.

A spokesman said the names would not be made public until Army headquarters in Tokyo has replied to requests for further information in each case.

## Hope Dims on Halt To New Steel Strike

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20—(AP)—Steel industry and union leaders began government-sponsored talks today amid dimming hopes of preventing a New Year's day strike.

Philip Murray, CIO president whose steel workers union has threatened a walk-out to support new contract demands told reporters nothing has changed his previous opinion that the strike appears inevitable.

Murray sat down with representatives of 10 key steel firms in peace talks arranged by Federal Mediation Service Director Cyrus S. Ching.

John A. Stephens, vice president of U. S. Steel Corp., the industry's largest producer, declined specific comment as the talks started at the Statler hotel.

"This is just the beginning," Stephens told reporters.

Ching said only that he intends to go ahead, get the varying positions of the union and employers and strive for a settlement.

## *US Slaps at Soviet Over 'False' Charge Of Fostering Subversion*

**WASHINGTON, Dec. 20—(AP)—The United States, in a note to Moscow, has denied is trying to promote subversion against the Soviet government.**

**Furthermore, the note said, such "false charges" of American interference in Soviet affairs "come with singular illgrace" from a regime which has for many years "supported subversive activities" against the American government.**

**The State Department released the note today. It was delivered to the Soviet foreign ministry yesterday.**

## Quit Fighting, Try to Keep Warm at Front

### Freezing Weather, Slows Battle Action And Stills Most Guns

SEOUL, Korea, Dec. 20—(AP)—Freezing weather and heavy fog muffled the drums of war along the Korea battlefront today.

Scattered small arms and artillery fire were heard in Panmunjom by truce teams seeking agreement on a Korean armistice.

There were no reports of any major action across the 145-mile front. Soldiers on both sides concentrated on keeping warm.

The Reds took an advance position from Allied troops in the central front in the only action involving more than a patrol reported in the U. S. Eighth Army evening communique. United Nations outposts fought for three hours with a company of attacking Reds before pulling back to their own lines shortly before dawn.

Allied air forces and navy guns struck the heaviest blows Wednesday.

Daylight air operations were reduced. Ten B-29 Superforts pounded rail yards at Chongju in northwest Korea in a night attack. Far East Air Forces said it was one of the heaviest B-29 raids of the war against a single target.

Allied warships hammered Communist shore targets on both Korean coasts.

Vice Adm. Thomas L. Sprague, commander of the air arm of the Pacific fleet, said task force 77 planes made 2,621 cuts in Red rail lines between Jan. 1 and Nov. 1, he listed 2,436 locomotives and rail cars destroyed and 4,095 damaged, 2,370 vehicles destroyed and about 1,650 damaged and 564 bridges destroyed and 1,312 damaged.

"It is hard, cold figures such as these that dramatically illustrate the contribution being made by the naval air arm in the Korean conflict," Sprague said.

He had just completed an inspection tour of naval air units.

Senator Ferguson (R-Mich) watched from the deck of the Wisconsin as the battleship's guns pounded Red troops in the Kansong area. He was a guest of Vice Adm. Harold M. Martin, commander of the Seventh Fleet.

## Freezing Rain Glazes Highways Near Kansas City

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 20—(AP)—A freezing rain glazed streets and highways in this area today and created a hopeless traffic snarl in this metropolitan area of nearly 900,000 persons.

Streets and roads in the city and populous suburban areas were coated with a sheet of smooth ice after rain started falling in the early morning. The temperature was 30 degrees.

Street cars were able to maintain their schedules until the rush hour jam started. Then skidding automobiles slipped onto the tracks and tied up everything. Busses also were having hard going. Conditions were bad on city streets, but far worse on suburban roads.

Business houses were late opening, or didn't open at all as employees sat helpless in stranded vehicles. Many schools, including most of those in the suburbs where students were dependent on bus transportation did not open. Radio broadcasts advised parents to keep the children at home.

Weather forecasters said the area was expected to experience a sharp temperature drop today and conditions were likely to get worse before they got better.

## Secret Hearings Start Into Death of American Agent In Italy In '44

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20—(AP)—A congressional investigation has begun behind closed doors into the killing of an American secret agent in Italy in 1944, and what the Defense Department did about reports he was slain by two other U. S. agents.

Rep. Cole (R-NY) told reporters today that he conducted an all-day hearing yesterday. The witness was Michael Stern, author of an account published in [illegible] Magazine last summer of the death of Maj. William V. Holohan of the cloak-and-dagger office of strategic services.

Cole is the Republican member of a two-man House Armed Services subcommittee named last October to look into the matter. The other member is Representative Kilday (D-Tex.).

## Nearly Complete POW List

### Only 250 Special Problems Are Left For Notification Of Nearest Relatives

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20—(AP)—The defense department still had about 250 names to check today on the Communist-supplied list of American prisoners of war in Korea.

The Pentagon finished the first phase of the huge job at 8:30 p. m. (EST) last night. At that hour, about 2,940 names on the full list of 3,198 had been identified.

Telegrams making it a joyous Christmas season for hundreds of American families went out by last night to nearly all of the next of kin of the 2,940 men. But the sorrow deepened for the many more whose sons were not listed.

**Some Have Kin Overseas**

About 75 soldiers on the identified list named nearest relatives at overseas addresses. Messages to these kin are to be sent today.

Prisoners identified at the Pentagon included 2,724 soldiers in addition to the 75 with overseas next of kin, eight navy men, 58 marines and 76 airmen.

The approximately 250 remaining to be identified presented special problems. The Pentagon decided at 8:30 last night to tackle these today. At that hour, the staff working on the list had been on duty 26½ hours, ever since the names began pouring in from Tokyo Tuesday night.

They had been warned to United Nations officers several hours earlier at Panmunjom, Korea, the site of the truce negotiations.

**Get List Out to Press**

Even though the checking and dispatching of telegrams covering the 2,940 names were finished last night, the defense department continued working through the night to get the full list out to the press and radio. This was completed by mid-morning Thursday.

There are 11,051 Americans officially listed as missing in action in Korea, so the release of the names meant tragedy in at least two homes for every one where it brought happiness.

**"Completely Unverified"**

President Truman joined high military officials yesterday in emphasizing that the list is "completely unverified."

"This country has no way of verifying whether the list is accurate or inaccurate, true or false, complete or incomplete," White House secretary Joseph Short told reporters at Mr. Truman's request.

"For the sake of the families whose sons are missing in action: Everyone should treat this list with skepticism."

And even if the men listed by the Communists are alive, they still are in prisoner of war camps with their release wholly dependent on the success of the agonizingly long drawn out truce talks.

A Pentagon spokesman gave some hope that the Communist list might be an honest one.

He said that nearly all of the names checked in the first phase of the operation — and this phase included more than 90 per cent of the total — were found in the defense department's own official list of missing.

"The number of discrepancies has been negligible both in number and in type," the spokesman said.

## *The Worm Turns; Snake Sheds Skin*

**WASHINGTON, Dec. 20—(AP)—The government today exempted canned fried worms from price control.**

**There were ditto orders for crepe suzettes, walnut sauce and canned rattlesnake meat.**

## Traffic Toll Up to Million On Saturday

### 250 More Deaths Needed for 'M-day'; Caution All Drivers

By the Associated Press

The nation's traffic toll today neared the 1,000,000 mark.

It reached 999,761 at 1 p.m. EST. It added:

"The remaining deaths are expected to occur by about noon Saturday if the anticipated travel and accident pattern does not change."

But council also advised driving and walking Americans that "the millionth death can still be postponed by improved traffic behavior in the final hours."

**First Death In 1899**

The statement was, in effect, the flag signal for the final laps in a race against death that began Sept. 13, 1899.

That was the date of the first known motor vehicle fatality in the U. S. The victim was H. H. Bliss. He stepped from a trolley and was run over by a horseless carriage in New York City.

Thereafter, the toll rose — slowly at first and then with alarming speed.

Fatalities reached a peak of 39,969 in 1941. They slumped off during World War II, then rose to the 1951 average of around 100 per day.

Now Motorized Death is nearing the end of his drive to the 1,000,000 milestone, with his elapsed time indicated at 51 years, three months and eight days.

**Tragedy at Christmas**

"It is a tragic and ironic circumstance that the millionth death should occur almost on the very eve of Christmas," said Ned H. Dearborn, council president.

"To those Americans who are shocked — and I know that many are — it seems an appropriate time for each of us to pledge redoubled efforts as drivers and community leaders toward prevention of wanton recklessness on the highways."

The council has promoted M (for million) day in the hope that the day of sorry reckoning will help to slow the rate of slaughter.

The council does not intend to name the millionth victim. Nobody can do so with certainty The main reason is that traffic fatalities for the first 32 years of the century are estimates — not actual figures.

Recent death statistics — up to and including those of last midnight — were compiled by the council from reports from state accident record bureaus.

## Report Truman Plans 'Union' Address Jan. 9

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20—(AP)—President Truman was reported today to be planning to deliver his State of the Union address to Congress Jan. 9 and his budget message five days later.

This information came from White House visitors who said Mr. Truman mentioned the dates in turning down an invitation to a Jan. 12 banquet of the Touchdown club, a local sports organization.

*Third of Series of Christmas Pictures---*

## The Holy Family



**And so it was, that, while they were there, the days were accomplished that she should be delivered.**

**And she brought forth her first born son, and wrapped him in swaddling clothes, and laid him in a manger, because there was no room for them in the inn.**

**Luke 2, 6-7**

## Burning Ship, 11 Missing

### Boat In Flames Near Astoria, Ore., With 23 Passengers and 80 Crewmen Known Safe

ASTORIA, Ore., Dec. 20—(AP)—The Coast Guard said today eight passengers and three crewmen "possibly are missing" from the Danish motorship Erria burning in the mouth of the Columbia river.

The Coast Guard said 23 passengers and 80 crew members have been accounted for. These estimates were based on the belief that 114 persons were aboard the ship when it anchored just inside the mouth of the stream to await clearing weather before attempting to cross the bar. Crew members were unable to say positively how many passengers were aboard.

**Only One Into Water**

Early reports indicated that only one of those aboard went into the icy waters of the Columbia rived quickly from its station only couver, B. C., a passenger, who grabbed a line hanging over the side of the ship when the fire broke out. The line was unsecured and he plunged over the side, but was quickly picked up by a Coast Guard vessel.

Ray's 11-year-old son, Bill, suffered a burned heel in the fire and was taken to a hospital here. Ray's wife and three-month-old son were safe.

**At Anchor Off Shore**

The Erria, bound from Portland, Ore., to San Francisco, was burning ¾ of a mile off the Coast Guard station. She was at anchor, awaiting clearing weather before crossing the bar when the fire broke out.

E. L. Blyth, Portland, a passenger, said a man and his wife, he knew only as a Mr. and Mrs. Brannon, possibly were missing. He said he had not seen them since the fire started. A boy in the family was safe, he added.

Crew members said they believed the fire started from a shorted cable. It spread rapidly through the 400-foot vessel.

**Coast Guard To Rescue**

Blyth said the order to abandon ship came five or six minutes after the alarm. The Coast Guard arrived quickly fro mits station only about 200 yards away with two cutters and several lifeboats and began taking off the passengers. Vessels from the U. S. Navy station at Tongue Point and fishing boats also hurried to the scene. Coast Guard and Navy pumpers poured water on the abandoned vessel and smaller boats circled the area looking for survivors.

Watchers from the shore said flames shot high above the ship. There was only a light breeze blowing.

**Weird Flames Come Late**

By 5 a. m., PST about two and a half hours after the ship caught fire, weird blue flames lighted it. Smoke was pouring from below decks.

Blyth said there was no panic among the passengers and crew after the abandon ship order.

"They came banging on our cabin doors and we took our lifeboat stations," he said. "They lowered the women first. One boat got off full, but the second we were going to use went into the water when its ropes broke. We went down rope ladders."

Most of the survivors left all their belongings behind.

Skipper of the 8,786 ton vessel, which left Portland Tuesday after loading lumber, is Capt. M. Agge. It was operated by the East Asiatic lines.

## Methodist Bishop Lacy Dies In China

BOSTON, Dec. 20—(AP)—Word has been received here on the death on Dec. 11 of Bishop George Carleton Lacy, 63, of the Methodist church, in a hospital in Foochow, China.

Bishop Lacy was denied permission by the Chinese Reds to leave China for the past year.

Methodist church headquarters in Boston said it had been informed Bishop Lacy died of a heart attack in Union hospital, maintained jointly by several protestant denominations.

## *The Weather*



SNOW TONIGHT

Central Missouri: Freezing rain changing to snow flurries ending tonight. Cold wave tonight, low near zero. Continued cold Friday, high 10 to 15. Strong northerly winds tonight.

The temperature at 7 a. m., was 33 degrees above zero; 35 at 10 a. m., and 28 at 2 p. m. Moisture: Two-hundredths inch.

• *Thought for Today*

Lincoln did but pour the soul of the nation into the monumental act of universal liberty and that soul was inspired by the gospel.—Edward Thomson.

## Christmas Party Monday Night

Miss Bettye Ellsworth entertained Monday night with a Christmas party for Prudential clerical employees at her home, 656 East Broadway.

Attractive Christmas decorations were used throughout the home and gifts were exchanged from a decorated tree.

The hostess served a supper and on the table was a gift for each guest.

Games were played during the evening with awards going to Miss Kathryn Ries and Miss Erma Fajen.

The remainder of the evening was spent in listening to Christmas music on a record player and picture taking.

Guests were Miss Emma Kraft, Mrs. Richard Warren, Miss Kathryn Ries, Miss Beatrice Smasal and Miss Erma Fajen.

## MoPac Women's Club Yule Party

The Missouri Pacific Women's club held its Christmas party Monday evening at Whittier school with husbands and children of the members as guests.

The meeting was opened by Mrs. A. J. Gregory, president, with the singing of "O, Little Town of Bethlehem," after which Mrs. George Dabner led the group in the Lord's prayer.

Mrs. Gregory then introduced Mrs. John Thomas White, membership chairman, who awarded Mrs. William Schutt a prize for obtaining the most new members. Mrs. Gregory was also given a gift for her work

Mrs. Jerome Wolf, hospitality chairman, then presented Mrs. Murrell Hayden with a gift.

The Christmas party was directed by the officers, with Mrs. Ike L. Warren, first vice-president, as chairman.

Mrs. Warren introduced Mrs. Emery Meyers who gave two humorous readings. Christmas carols were led by Mrs. Kurman Riley with Mrs. Paul Berthouex as the accompanist. With the singing of "Santa Claus Is Coming to Town," he arrived and presented gifts and candy bars to the children. There was also a gift exchange.

In charge of refreshments were: Mrs. E. M. Christian, chairman, Mrs. Cecil Curtis, Mrs. M. T. Dabner, Mrs. George Dabner, Mrs. Herman Dick, Mrs. Homer Earhart, Mrs. I. C. Evans and Mrs. E. M. Franke.

Gifts were brought for a needy family and these were turned over to Mrs. John M. Blue, who will distribute them.

## Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Robertson, route 3, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Ilene Ellen, to Pfc. Charles Schouten, son of Clarence Schouten, 612 North Quincy.

The marriage will take place Dec. 23 at the home of the bride's parents.





**ROSE SOCIETY BANQUET** — Mrs. Herbert A. Seifert, center, retiring president of the Sedalia Rose society, is shown in the top photo presenting the gavel to the new president, Victor Gill, right. Seated on the left are Mr. and Mrs. Martin C. Pashea of Independence, who are honorary members of the Sedalia Rose society. Several years ago Mr. Pashea was the winner of the Nicholson Bowl, the highest award of the American Rose society for his roses shown at the national convention of the society in Kansas City. Mr. Pashea later designed Blevins Davis Glendale Farms' rose garden, consisting of over 5,000 rose plants near Independence. He is now in charge of the planning and maintenance of the garden. The photo below is of members of the society taken at its annual Christmas party and installation of officers held recently at the Bothwell hotel. (Photos by John G. Schlaffer.)

## Supper Club Christmas Party

The Supper Club Christmas party was held at the home of Miss Erma Fajen, 620½ South Massachusetts, Wednesday night.

Christmas decorations of Santas and snow scenes were used in the living room and gifts were around a small lighted Christmas tree.

At each place at the supper table was a red stocking filled with candy and nuts.

A game was played with the award going to Miss Margaret Ferguson.

A gift exchange was held and a gift also was presented by the hostess to each guest.

Those attending were Miss Margaret Ferguson, Miss Phyllis Bush, Mrs. John Welch, Miss Marie Fritz, Miss Lois Fricke and Miss Hazel Lang.

During the evening Miss Fajen opened a box of candy which was sent for the club Christmas party by a former member, Miss Cecile Tillberry, who now resides in Chicago.

## Daughters of Isabella Have Christmas Party

The Daughters of Isabella, Circle No. 310, held the annual Christmas party Wednesday at the Knights of Columbus hall.

The hall was decorated with red and white crepe paper, miniature Santas and Christmas candles.

A covered dish supper was served at 6:30. Small snow men were favors. Santa passed out gifts for the secret pals and a business meeting followed the supper with Mrs. Ethel Rialti, regent, presiding.

Three Christmas baskets will be sent out to needy families.

The next regular meeting will be Jan. 9 at the hall.

The committee in charge of the Christmas party was: Mrs. Ethel Rialti, chairman, Mrs. Mary Louise Rouchka, Mrs. Ella Todd, Mrs. Virginia Steele, Mrs. Ruth Mergen, Mrs. Loretta Bishop, Mrs. Coletta Pierson, Mrs. Trudy Kerrigan, Mrs. Violet Hula, Mrs. Grace Kraus and Mrs. Helen Mettler.



**Miss Ilene Ellen Robertson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Robertson, route 3, whose engagement and approaching marriage to Pfc. Charles L. Schouten, son of Clarence Schouten, 612 North Quincy, is announced today by her parents. (Photo by Lehmer).**

## Miss McMillen Bride at Leeton

Miss Gwynetha Jean McMillen, daughter of Mrs. Lucy McMillen of Leeton and Billy Lee Hudson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hudson, Calhoun, were married at the First Baptist church at Leeton at 2 p. m., Nov. 22. The Rev. C. J. Ford read the double ring ceremony in the presence of the immediate famillies.

The bride wore a street length dress of white wool, white hat and black accessories. Her corsage was of red rosebuds.

Miss Barbara Houston, bridesmaid, wore a dress of white faille and black accessories and her corsage was red rosebuds.

Dean Northington, Calhoun, was best man.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. L. R. Kenney. The couple will reside at their home in Warrensburg.

## Social Page

**Leave for Decatur, Ill.**

Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Ramlow, 1301 West Fourth, will leave Saturday morning to spend the Christmas holidays with their son, William Ramlow and his family in Decatur, Ill.

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**Janice White Has Lead Role in School Pageant**

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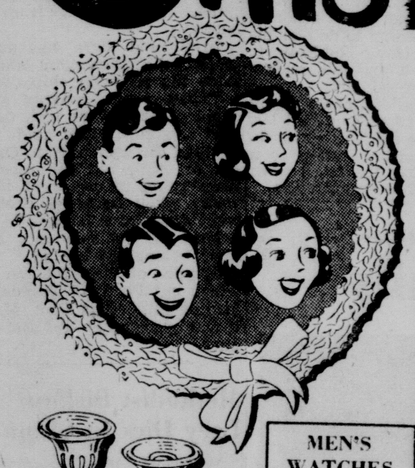
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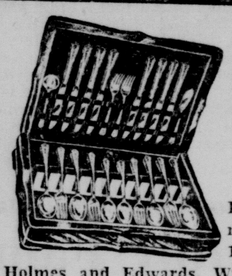
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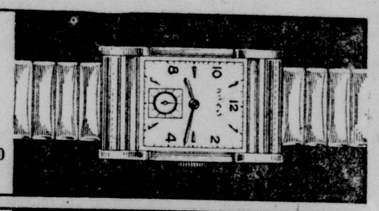
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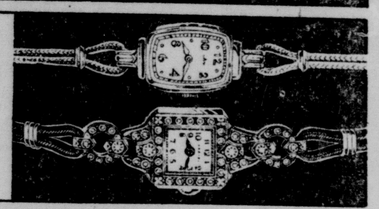
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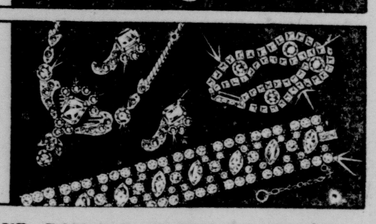


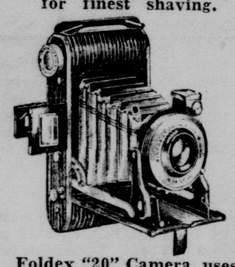


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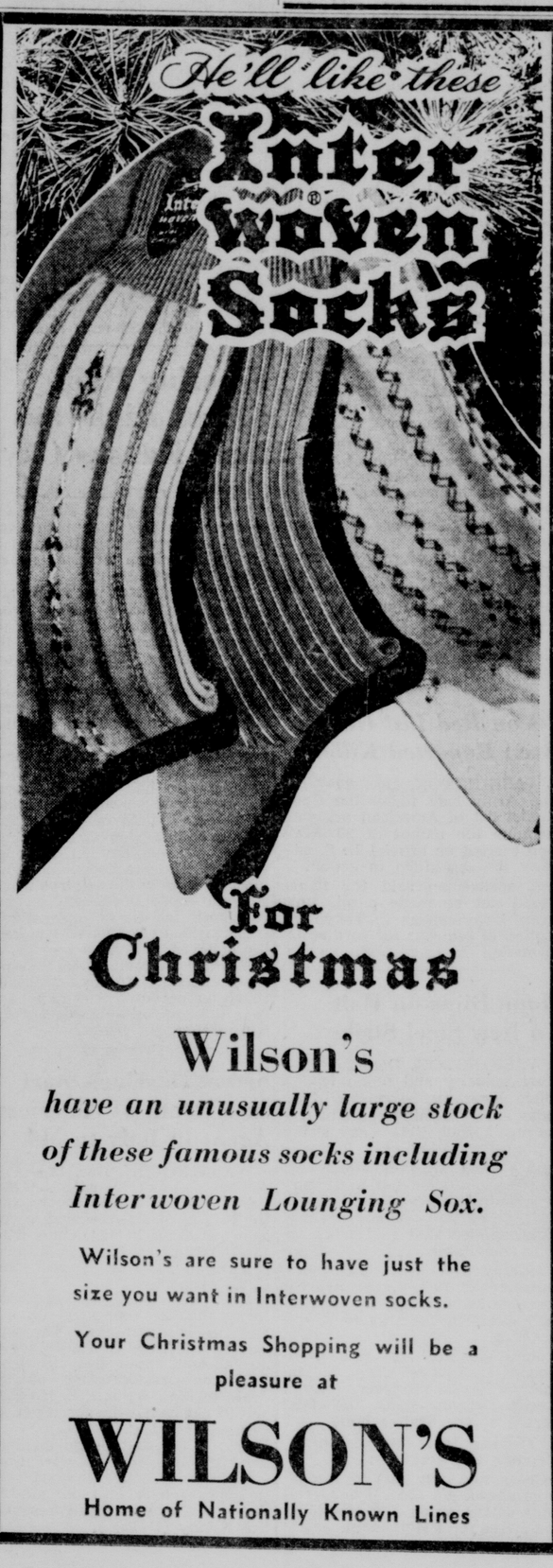
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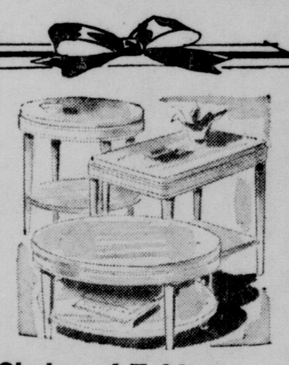
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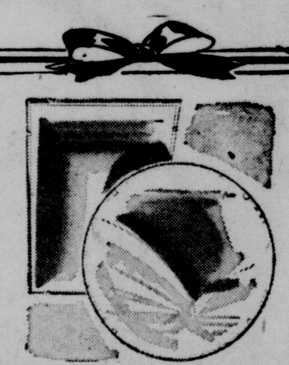
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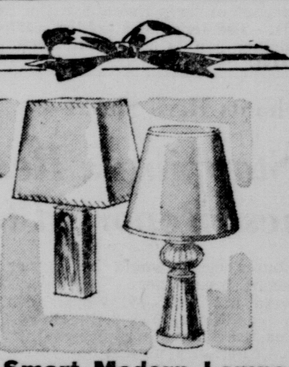
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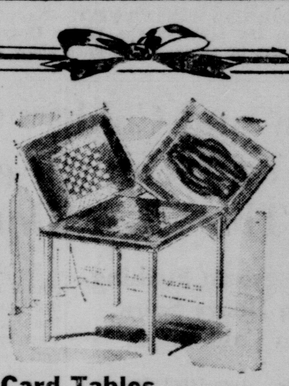
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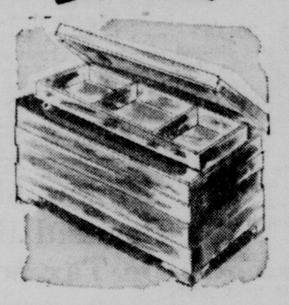
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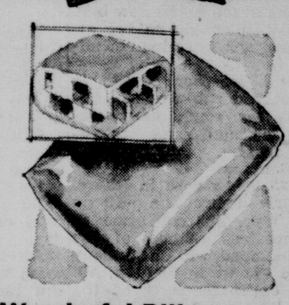
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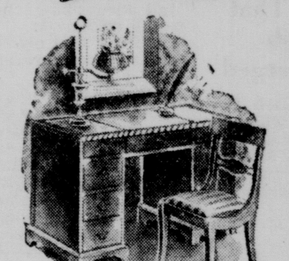
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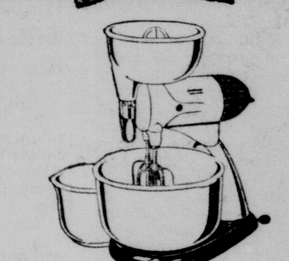
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The Other Side of the Picture---

# *Agency So Free of Scandals Fired 3 Workers Since '06*

By James Marlow

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20—(AP)—Nothing sensational about three men sacked in 45 years for crookedness.

Not a drop in the bucket compared with more than 50 fired in a year from the Internal Revenue Bureau.

Three chislers sacked in almost half a century can't compete for interest with cut-rate mink, home freezers, free Florida plane trips.

From the scandals, now exploding, it's easy to get the impression all government employes carry bushel baskets, waiting for handouts.

The impression isn't any more true than trying to generalize by saying all people are good or all people are bad.

And the opposite side of the picture comes from Charles W. Crawford, head of the food and drug administration.

As government agencies go, it's small. It doesn't make headlines often.

It has about 1,000 employes scattered among 16 field offices around the country and the main office in Washington.

All come from the government's civil service rolls. None is a political appointee.

The agency's job is to enforce laws requiring foods, drugs and cosmetics to be pure, safe and honestly labeled.

In the past year it has started more than 360 criminal actions against offenders and seized more than 1,400 items of bad goods.

The following story comes from Crawford who didn't just step up with it, saying "what a good little boy am I." He was asked for it.

Since the agency was founded in 1906 only three men had to be fired for crookedness.

From the beginning the agency has had a tradition that none of its employes could accept gifts or favors of any kind from any person or organization in the drug-food-cosmetic field.

Further, lest it should create an embarrassing sisuation, the employes are not to accept lunch from anyone in that field.

Each new employe is told what's expected of him. And on being hired by the agency, everyone has to get rid of any interest he may have in the food-drug-cosmetic field.

For example: If he has stock in a can company in which food is distributed, he must sell his stock.

Crawford, who joined the agency in 1917, said he thinks this policy, which he inherited from his predecessors, has paid off.

"The people in the industry respect us," he said.

## Tighten Screening Of Passport Aplications To Cut Commie Travel

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20—(AP)—The Senate Internal Security subcommittee called on the State Department last night to tighten its screening of passport applications to prevent Communists from traveling behind the iron curtain.

The demand was made in a report which said investigation had disclosed that a group of 18 American trade unionists made a propaganda trip to Russia and two Soviet satellites last spring. The subcommittee said 14 of the 18 had "notorious Communist records."

Issuance of passports to the delegation, the Senators said, demonstrated inadequacies of the State Department's present procedure for checking passport applications against available security information.

## Survey Grocery Costs, Profits, to See If Can Raise Food Prices

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20—(AP)—The government is undertaking a survey of grocery stores' costs and profits to determine whether retail food dealers are entitled to raise prices. Spokesmen have asked for a general increase, contending their costs have increased.

The Office of Price Stabilization (OPS) announced yesterday it has mailed survey forms to 1,500 representative food stores. A more thorough study wil be made next year, OPS said.

Representatives of retailers met with OPS officials Dec. 7 and reported that present ceilings are too low. They asked permission to increase allowable profit margin from the present 20 per cent to 22.

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**CHRISTMAS BELLE** — Real Christmas trees are few and far between in sunny Hawaii, but beach-belle Nancy Brown gets into the Yuletide spirit by decorating her coconut straw hat with Christmas tree ornaments.

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## Mrs. Eakins Fractures Hip In Fall On Ice

Mrs. Ollie Eakins, 106 South Prospect, suffered a fracture of the left hip early Wednesday evening when she fell on the ice at the corner of Second and Prospect.

She was taken to her home on a sled by neighborhood children, and from there to the Bothwell hospital in the Gillespie ambulance.

Mrs. Eakins was treated by Dr. F. B. Long.

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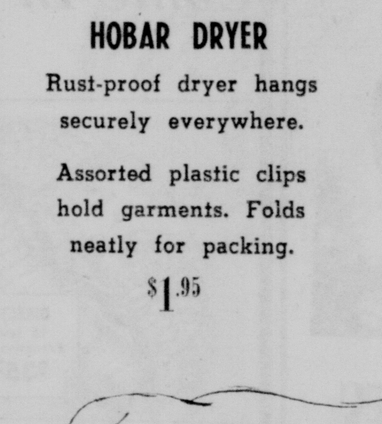


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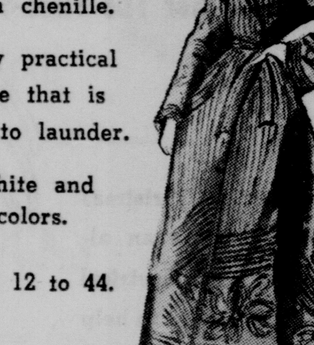
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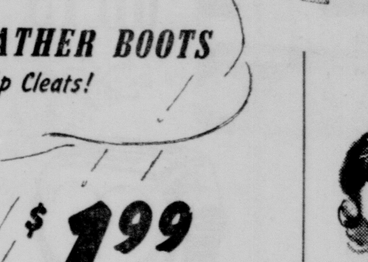
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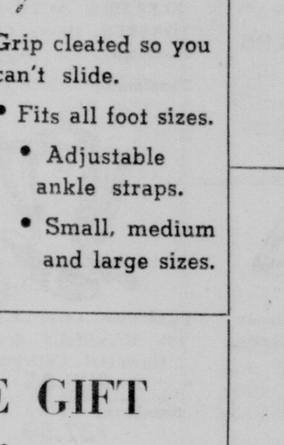
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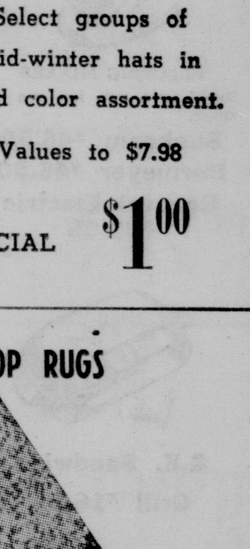
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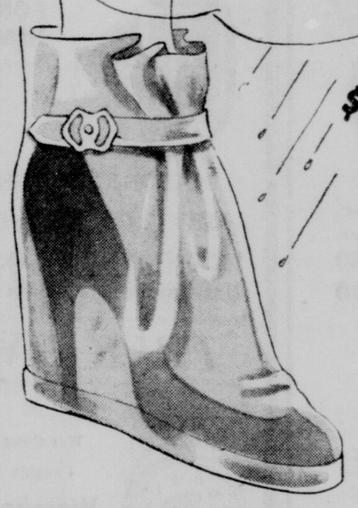
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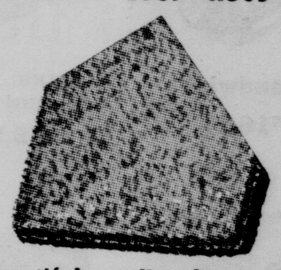
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# Yule Business Good and Bad In US Survey

NEW YORK, Dec. 19—(AP)— How is Christmas business? "Just fine. As good or better than last year." some merchants report. "Frankly lousy," say others.

Those are some of the opinions turned up by an Associated Press survey of Christmas shopping trends in 23 major retail areas across the nation.

Most retailers are confident of increased dollar sales. But there is plenty of talk ,too, about customers being a lot more choosey than they were a year ago. And there is some talk of consumer price resistance.

Higher prices will probably account for a good part of any increase in dollar volume over last Christmas, many merchants say. This despite the fact that prices in some lines of merchandise have been drastically marked down in an effort to prod reluctant buyers.

The pattern of retail opinion is spotty.

Q. F. Walker, chief economist for Macy's New York, finds the volume of Christmas sales thus far "less favorable than expected."

A spokesman for Gimbels in Philadelphia reports: "Business is terrific, better than most years, but not quite as good as last year which was exceptional."

R. C. Dolbin, manager of the Dallas, Tex., retail merchants association, predicts: "There's no question that this will be a bigger Christmas than 1950."

It is generally agreed that profits will be lower, mostly because of reduced markups and the higher cost of doing business.

In some instances brisk sales are being achieved only because of "give-away" prices or costly advertising and promotion.

Huge sums are being spent to lure store traffic. The trend is toward more and better paid department store Santa Clauses, more free cocktails and fashion shows, more free circuses for the children.

"Stag" shopping nights for male shoppers only, once a rarity on the retail scene, have suddenly achieved nationwide acceptance. The only women allowed inside the store on such occasions are the sales personnel and the beauteous models.

Christmas buying in some cities is taking on a practical slant — more emphasis on down-to-earth, wearable or otherwise usable gifts, less on fancy luxury items.

Best sellers includes most kinds of women's apparel — nylons, lingerie, dresses, coats and accessories for the lady in your life — and for the younger set, dolls, cowboy suits and shootin' irons.

Macy's New York reports brisk holiday business in toys, cosmetics, cameras and games — but not enough to offset the slump in such "big profit" items as washing machines and refrigerators.

In many areas those traditional socks and neckties for the "old man" are moving fairly well. By and large, however, women's apparel is doing better than men's girls' better than boys'. Retailers give no convincing explanation.

Generally speaking, soft goods sales are up, while sales of hard goods, including television sets, are below 1950's record-smashing levels.

# Pleasant Green WSCS Has Book Review at Meeting

By Minnie Johnson

PLEASANT GREEN — A reading circle study of the book, "The Americans, North and South" was held Wednesday afternoon by the WSCS at the home of Mrs. A. G. Wolfe. The leader, Mrs. Woodrow Wolfe, arranged the program and read the scripture. "America the Beautiful" was used as the musical reading and the story of how Kathryn Lee Bates was inspired to write it was given.

Mrs. Wolfe also gave the first four chapters, "Meet the Latin Americans", which was followed by history, missionary work, living conditions, government and other things in general concerning the Americans. A Mexican vase, water jug and pictures were used to illustrate the talks. Assisting Mrs. Wolfe were: Mrs. Virgil Wolfe, Mrs. Fred Hirst, Mrs. William Stewart, Mrs. L. A. Retherford, Mrs. Ewing Hurt, Mrs. Oliver Retherford, Mrs. Hob Stevens, Mrs. C. W. Decker, Mrs. George Wolfe and Mrs. Anna Norris.

Refreshments were served by Mrs. A. C. Wolfe and Mrs. Wolfe.

Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Hurt visited his mother, Mrs. Boone Hurt, Pilot Grove.

Mrs. Hob Stevens and daughter, Mrs. Virgil Wolfe, spent Tuesday in Pilot Grove with Mrs. Kate Phillips and Mrs. Lizzie Reavis.

Louis Eskerle and Ralph McKinsley, Kansas City, spent Sunday with Louis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Eckerle.

Mrs. A. F. Gramlich and son, Ernest, spent Friday and Saturday in Marshall with Mrs. Gramlich's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Barr and family.

Joe Cooper, Kansas City, spent a few days with his parents last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Yates spent the week-end with relatives in Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Swisher recently sold their farm to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas L. Gieke.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Phillips and son, Gary, and Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Phillips spent Saturday in Columbia with Mrs. W. B. Hurt and son, Billy. Mr. Hurt went to Kansas City on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Opal Gilmore, Sedalia, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mason Heim and family.

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*Out Our Way* — *By J. R. Williams*




CLIFTON CITY

# Clifton City 4-H Clubbers Tell Of Yule Wishes

My Minnie Johnson

CLIFTON CITY — The Clifton City 4-H club met Dec. 11 at the St. Joseph's recreational hall. The meeting was called to order by Juanita Aggeler, who led the members in repeating the club pledge. Delores Pabst led the club in singing "White Christ-Christmas". Roll call was answered with "What I Want for Christmas."

Plans for the Christmas party on Dec. 18 were completed. Games were enjoyed after the meeting adjourned. Three visitors were present.

Miss Elaine Young, Sedalia, was a Sunday dinner guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Cranmer, Denver, Colo., spent several days with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Long.

Miss Margaret Young, Sedalia, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Young.

Jobe Potter, who has been a patient in Bothwell hospital was taken to the Veteran's hospital in Wadsworth, Kas., Saturday. Mrs. Potter accompanied him and will stay with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller, Kansas City.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Williams, Columbia, is visiting with his sister, Mrs. Joseph B. Johnson.

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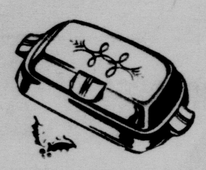
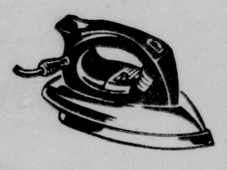
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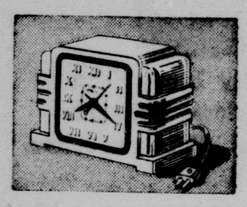
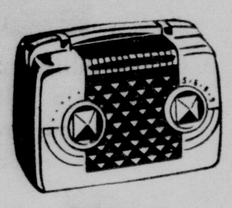
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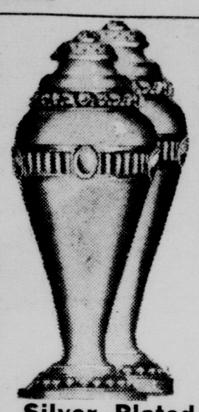
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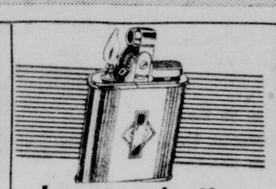
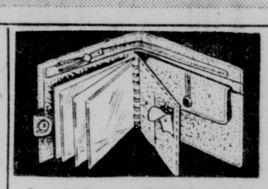
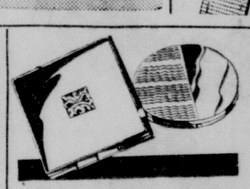


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## *Chinese Reds Use Christmas Stockings, Ask Yanks to Quit*

SEOUL, Korea, Dec. 20—(AP)—Chinese Reds are using a new kind of propanganda on the Korean war front—Christmas stockings.

The U. S. Eighth Army said cheese cloth stockings full of Christmas cards, cheap presents, and invitations to surrender were being "delivered" by the Reds.

Most are brought across the lines by Korean farmers. Others are sneaked across and left where Allied troops can find them.

A typical stocking was shown to correspondents today. It contained a handkerchief, a wooden cigarette holder, a Christmas card with a lilting verse, a safe conduct pass urging Allied soldiers to surrender, a lapel pin "peace dove," and a variety of pictures.

The pictures were designed to contrast the hardships of war in Korea with the luxuries of life in the United States.

One showed happy citizens lolling in Florida sunshine, and half-frozen marines marching in last year's Hungnam evacuation.

Another showed the grim face of a marine as photographed by Life magazine's Dave Duncan. In contrast was an American beer advertisement showing a family gathered around a loaded dinner table on Christmas day.

Under the family group was this caption: "Those who love you want you back home safe and sound. Find a way out. It is no disgrace to quit fighting in this unjust war."

Other drawings included the face of a blonde: "Why not go back to her?"

A civilian wearing a red necktie: "How would it be to get back into civvies?"

A plump gent with a $ sign on his necktie: "Why fight for him?"

This is the verse that appeared on one of the Christmas cards:

"Whatever the color, race or creed,
"All plain folks are brothers indeed.
"Both you and we want life and peace,
"If you go home the war will cease."

An Eighth Army colonel called the stockings "pitiful and ironic," and added:

"All this stuff demonstrates how hard the Communists work at pyschological warfare, and it also demonstrates how erroneous their conception is on how to appeal to the American soldier."

One Korean farmer delivered a package of the Christmas stockings under a truce flag. He said two Red soldiers escorted him to the foot of an Allied-held hill and told him to go the rest of the way alone.

The colonel called the farmer, "a Santa Claus with a Communist gun in his back."

## *After 42 Years of Writing, Husband Goes to See Wife*

LONDON, Dec. 20—(AP)—Tom Robinson told his wife, Ada, "I'll see you soon."

"Don't be long, love," she cautioned.

That was 42 years ago, when both were 29.

They finally greeted each other again last night in London's dingy Waterloo station.

Tom was carrying a photograph which Ada mailed him. But Ada trusted her memory and it was good. Glimpsing a tall, heavily-mustached man through the crowd, she told her 42-year-old daughter, "that's dad."

One quick kiss, then Tom said, "Hello, love. How've you been?"

At their daughter's home they rolled back the years with photograph albums and old letters.

Tom and Ada met as children in Darlington, a coal mining town in north England. He went to South Africa to make his fortune, then sent for Ada and they were married at Capetown in 1905.

Three years later their daughter was born and a doctor advised Ada to return to England for a rest.

Tom brought his wife and baby back, then returned to run an engine at a goldmine in the Orange Free State. He said he kept meaning to come back for Ada, "but I had a good job and if you left it in those days, someone took your place."

Ada meant to join him in South Africa. But soon after Tom left a son was born and she decided to stay until the children were a little older.

Then came the war, the depression, another war.

"It seemed something always kept happening," Ada said.

They each wrote every week.

A month ago Tom got three months leave from his job and caught the first ship for England.

Beaming, Ada said she will go back to South Africa with Tom this time.

Their marriage?

They agreed on Ada's verdict. "It's been one of the happiest anyone could have."

**Foreign Visitor**

LITTLE CURRENT, Ont.—(AP)—For the first time in about 15 years an ocean-going freighter was tied up at this Manitoulin Island dock recently when the 2,500-ton Askot from Oslo pulled in to unload a heavy pulp-drying machine for a paper plant at Espanola. The Norwegian vessel continued on to Chicago.


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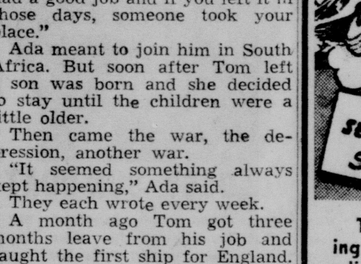



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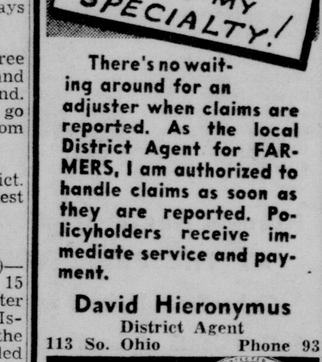
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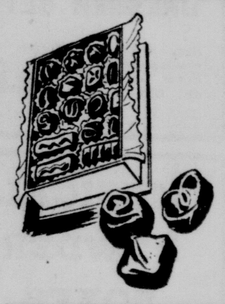
### 80 Square Dress Prints



1,500 yards of 80-square dress prints. Finest quality, 36-in. wide.

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### CHRISTMAS CANDIES



"Buntes" fine grade assorted chocolates. Full 1-lb. box.

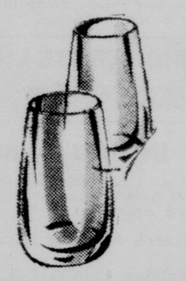
Reg. $1.00 ..... 89¢

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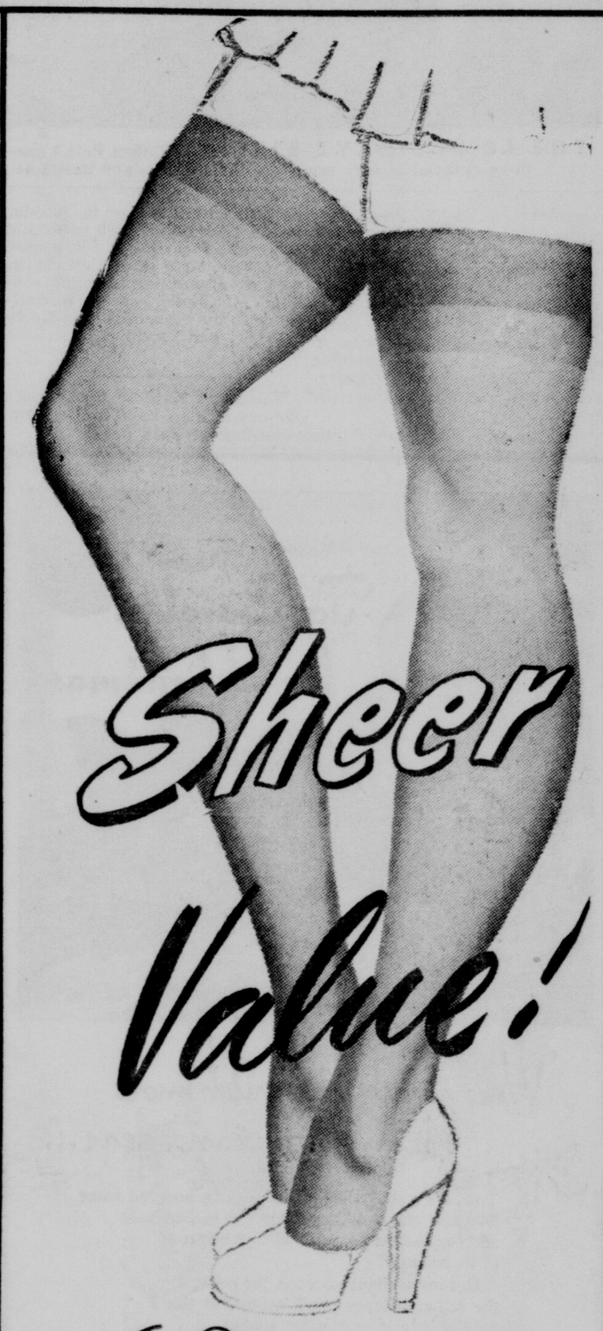
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Our entire stock of girls' winter coats—mostly fur trimmed. Colors: red, green, wine, blue, aqua and brown. Sizes 2 to 6x, 7 to 14.

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3 lbs. of fruit and nuts—makes an attractive gift.

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High School Jackets — All satin lined. Colors: black and gold, red and white, blue and white.

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Magic carpet scuffs with bouncy foam rubber soles. Sizes S-M-L. Colors: yellow, pink, green, blue, red.

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### Mens Sweaters

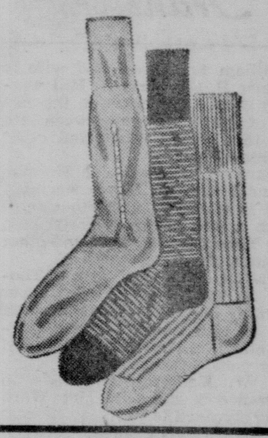


Our entire stock of men's slip-over sweaters. All colors and patterns. Sizes 36 to 46.

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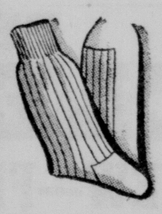
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Men's rayon and cotton dress socks, plain and fancies. Sizes 10 to 13.

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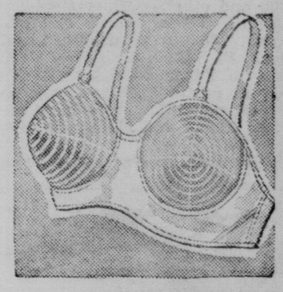


Finest grade 54-gauge mercerized cotton anklets—all white, sizes 7 to 11.

Reg. 49¢ .... 3 Pr. $1.00

### WHITE LEE BRAS

Delight form — Adds without pads. Fits and wears like any other bra. All sizes and cup sizes. 32 to 38



Reg. $1.95 to $2.50

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### BAL BRIGGANS



Children's 2-piece knit Bal Briggans—knit ankles. Sizes 4 to 14. Colors: red, blue, white, pink and yellow.

Reg. $3.98 .. $1.98

## —FREE GIFT WRAPPING—

# Would Bar All In Congress From Tax Cases

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20—(AP)—Senator Monroney (D-Okla) said today he will introduce in January a bill to prohibit any member of Congress from interfering in a tax case pending before the Internal Revenue Bureau.

Monroney, one of the authors of the Congressional Reorganization act of 1946, said his proposed measure also would (1) place tax collection agents under Civil Service, (2) require publication of any intervention by a lawmaker in RFC loan cases and (3) bar pensions to officials convicted of breach of public trust.

Meanwhile, a House Ways and Means subcommittee investigating Internal Revenue Bureau scandals called in Henry (The Dutchman) Grunewald to explain his associations with Internal Revenue officials.

Although Grunewald demanded an open hearing, today's session was to take place behind closed doors.

Grunewald, something of a mysterious figure along the fringe of Washington officialdom, has been portrayed as an intimate of Charles Oliphant, recently resigned chief counsel of the Internal Revenue Bureau, and an old friend of George J. Schoeneman, who resigned last June.

Until Monday night, Grunewald was in a Washington hospital suffering from nervous tension and gastro-intestinal disturbances. His name popped up several times in the subcommittee's hearings, disclosures from which contributed largely to the suspension or firing of some 50 tax service employes.

Grunewald was suspoenaed, found to be absent from his home, and located finally in Georgetown hospital. There he refused to talk until he could be heard in open session.

Among other things, investigators want to ask him about a $1,300 loan acknowledged by Oliphant when he resigned two weeks ago. Testifying before the committee, Oliphant described Grunewald as a close friend.

He said Grunewald took an interest in tax cases and once "told me he was helping" Senator Bridges (R-NH) in a multi-million-dollar tax case against a Baltimore man. Bridges has said that whenever he interested himself in a tax case, he always insisted that any action taken be "entirely proper and correct."

## REAL ESTATE
## Transfers

William E. Murray and wife to Thomas B. and Vera A. Hill warranty deed to property on the east side of Grand avenue between 14th and 15th streets, $1.00 and other consideration.

Frank P. Geminden to Herman E. and Marvellee Bloess warranty deed to property on north side of Ninth street between Porter and New York avenues, $1.00 and other consideration.

Charles H. Joy and wife to Thomas S. and Esther Nell Cooper warranty deed to property on south side of 16th street between Warren and Limit avenues, $1.00 and other consideration.

E. W. Kettlesen and wife to Lawrence S. and Alta May Ward warranty deed to property on east side of Crescent Blvd. between Ninth and 12th streets, $1.00 and other consideration.

Vera Williams and husband to Eva M. Thompson, quit claim deed to property on the south side of 14th street between Ohio and Lamine avenues, $1.00.

Vera Williams, administratrix of estate of Alice Klein, deceased, to Eva M. Thompson, administratrix' deed to property on south side of 14th street between Ohio and Lamine avenues, $2,000.00.

K. R. Stultz and wife to Gordon and Anna Wade warranty deed to 80 acres of land, more or less, in Blackwater township, $7,000.00.

H. C. Menegali and wife to Edgar Daniels, Virgil Hedgecock and E. H. Williams, trustee for United Baptists and Regular Baptists warranty deed to 20 acres of land, more or less, in Blackwater township, $1.00 and other consideration.

Rose Ann Reid to Alpha Weed warranty deed to property on the south side of Boonville street between Emmett and Depp avenues, $1.00 and other consideration.

John F. Taylor, sheriff of Pettis county, Mo., in partition suit of Edgar F. Wise vs. Marcella K. Wise, to Edgar F. Wise, sheriff's deed in partition to property on the east side of Quincy avenue between Cooper and Morgan streets, $3,050.00.

William G. Stearns and wife to Kenneth and Irma Ruth Campbell warranty deed to property on the south side of 16th street between Barrett and Beacon avenues, $1.00 and other consideration.

Mary Louise Toliver and husband to Cordelia E. Vinson, quit claim deed to property at southwest corner of 27th street and Massachusetts avenue, $1.00 and other consideration.

Warner Vogt and wife to Guss and Irmal A. Meismann warranty deed to 63 acres of land, more or less, in Blackwater township, $5,500.00.

William L. Watson and wife to Earl T. and Louisa M. Crawford quit claim deed to 80 acres of land, more or less, in LaMonte township $1.00 and other consideration.

Julius V. Watson and wife to Earl T. and Louisa M. Crawford quit claim deed to 80 acres of land, more or less, in LaMonte township, $1.00 and other consideration.

Kenneth Miller and wife to Robert L. George and wife to George W. and Violet M. Henderson warranty deed to property on east side of Beacon avenue between Ninth and Tenth streets, $1.00 and other consideration.

Jay T. Bentley and wife to Leonard F. and Hilda M. Kammerich, warranty deed to property on west side of Massachusetts avenue between 11th and 13th streets, $1.00 and other consideration.

Edward V. Drew and wife to Fred W. and Waverly B. Kirkpatrick, warranty deed to property on the west side of Autumn avenue between Liberty Park Blvd. and Spring avenue, $10.00 and other consideration.

Country Club Development Co., a corporation, to William K. and Joan Gibson, warranty deed to property on south side of Driftwood Drive between highway 65 and Greenwood Lane, $10.00 and other consideration.

## Middle Andrews Sister Will Wed Accompanist

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 20—(AP)—The one in the middle of the singing Andrews sisters, Patti, Andrews, will wed pianist Walter Weschler Christmas day.

The wedding will take place at the home of her sister, La Verne Andrews Rodgers, the bride's attorney said yesterday. Weschler is accompanist for the sisters.

Patti was divorced last year from her former agent, Martin Melcher, after a marriage or three years. Weschler's divorce from singer Sue Weschler becomes final Monday.

## Sells His Trailer

BEDFORD, Ind., Dec. 20—(AP)—Thomas Todd, who wanted to sell his house trailer, put a "for sale" advertisement in the Bedford Times-Mail, but responses all came from persons who wanted to rent it.

He advertised again, in the "for rent" classification. The first call came from a man who wanted to buy it, and did.

### FAO to Teach Food Use

ROME—(AP)—The Food and Agriculture organization decided at its sixth world conference here that it isn't enough to teach papa how to grow more food.

You also have to teach mama to cook it better.

The conference approved an enlarged program of home economics and nutrition instruction for 1952 and 1953, to be carried out by field experts particularly in the more backward countries.

This instruction will cover more than just how to cook. Cleanliness and health instruction will be included. The idea: not just to see that the world has food to eat, but that the food does its full job of providing nourishment and leading to better health.

### Alaska Imports Frozen Bread

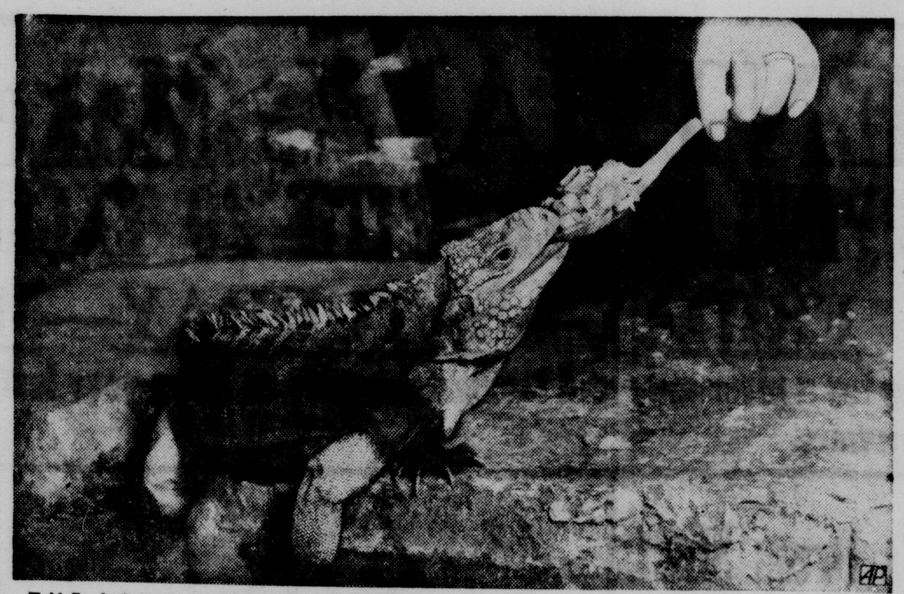
SEATTLE—(AP)—You've heard the old gag, of course, about the super-salesman who could sell refrigerators to the Eskimos.

But would you ever expect to hear they actually are shipping frozen bread to Alaska?

What's more, the going price for a large loaf (six days old, or thereabouts) is around 40 cents. It sells at the standard price in Anchorage, which is a booming military center with high prices and too few bakeries to meet the demand.

The bread is frozen, then packed with dry ice in wooden boxes. Each holds 3,000 pounds of bread and from 200 to 400 pounds of dry ice. And, says Kiert Smith, who developed the shipping container, the bread reaches Anchorage with the same quality of freshness it had when it left the bakery.

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THE LOWLY HAVE RISEN — "Cuban Pete," one of Chicago's Lincoln Park Zoo's three iguanas, is very much the individualist and insists he must be fed with a spoon.

## Mo. Public Service Gets FPC Approval To Acquire MG&ES

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20—(AP)—The Missouri Public Service Company of Warrensburg, Mo., was authorized by the Federal Power Commission yesterday to acquire the Missouri Gas and Electric Service Company of Lexington, Mo.

The Lexington firm serves Buchanan, Clay, Carroll, Clinton, Lafayette, Platte, Ray and Saline counties.

## Falling Tree Kills

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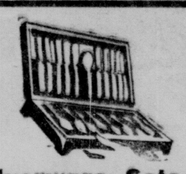
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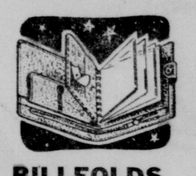


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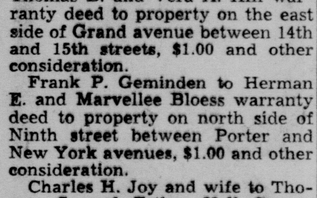
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# Lions Fill 600 Sacks With Candy, Fruit at Noon Meet

The Sedalia Lions club spent its noon hour Wednesday at the Ambassador Room of the Hotel Bothwell preparing sacks of candies, nuts, and fruits to be given Santa Claus to the children attending their annual Children's Party to be held Monday. The party, in the form of a two-hour picture show, will be held at the Liberty theatre Monday afternoon.

Members of the Lions, working along three large tables, filled more than 600 sacks, according to Joe Ruddick, general chairman. The sacks were then placed in baskets and boxes and taken to the theatre where they are being kept for Santa.

During the sacking process Mrs. Nellie Monegan played on the piano-organ, furnishing the workers with Christmas music.

At the opening of the meeting girls of Miss Geraldine Teufel's singing class at Smith-Cotton high school sang several Christmas carols.

Chairman Ruddick announced a conflict in children parties for Monday had been solved with the Sedalia Bank and Trust Co. party being scheduled at 10 a.m. Monday morning at the Uptown theatre through the cooperation of John J. McGrath of the bank and J. T. Ghosen of the theatre. The Lions tickets had already been sent out for the 2 o'clock show at the Liberty.

The Liberty will open its doors at 1:30 o'clock with the show starting promptly at 2 o'clock. Immediately following the performance the children will leave the theatre single file at which time the sacks of candies, nuts and fruits will be given them by Santa Claus.

During the meeting Leland Johnson, Southwestern Bell Telephone Co., was introduced by E. B. Smith as a new member of the organization.

Harold Seaberg, president, presided over the meeting.

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HANOI, Indochina—(AP)—This key city in Northern Indochina—now having a population estimated at about 500,000—has an unusual distinction. It lacks taxicabs.

The big reason is said to be the difficulty of keeping a fleet of cabs supplied with oil and gasoline, which has to be transported from the northeastern port city of Haiphong.

The gasoline is needed to run the French and Vietnamese war machine in its operations against the Communist - led Vietminh forces.

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GIFTS FOR "UNCLE BILL"



Shirts, ties, pajamas—a comfortable robe and slippers, of course. Gifts for an outdoor man include warm shirts, a heavy jacket, sport slacks, new sport shirts, and comfortable Romeo house slippers for winter evenings!

# Redistricting Bill Blocked By Mo. GOPs

JEFFERSON CITY, Dec. 20—(AP)—Senate minority Republicans ganged up yesterday to prevent the key congressional redistricting bill from being sent to the governor.

The upset in the majority party's plans came during what was supposed to be a skeleton session, merely for the purpose of signing bills and sending them to Gov. Forrest Smith.

But the Republicans gathered quietly, grabbed a nine to three voting edge and took control.

First they tried to send the bill back to conference committee, arguing that it contained an error making it unconstitutional.

When the Democrats appeared to balk, the Republicans used their power to adjourn the Senate abruptly until Jan. 21. That was the date for reconvening, already agreed upon by both Houses. But the Democrats had planned to have the redistricting bill signed first by presiding officers of both Houses.

The Republican action stymied that.

The Republicans now appear to be in this position:

1. Either Democrats listen to their complaints on the bill and give them a better shake in the distribution of districts, or

2. The Democrats stand pat next month, correct the technical error, repass the bill and then recess again for 30 days.

The first would give the Republicans more than the mere two districts out of 11 the Democrats were willing to offer in the held-up bill.

The second would spank the Republicans for their action yesterday. But it still wouldn't stop them from forcing a referendum election on the bill—and thus making all congressional candidates run at large in Missouri next year.

### Christian Women's Fellowship Tonight

The Christian Women's Fellowship of the East Broadway Christian church will meet tonight at 7:30 in the home of Mrs. J. W. Watts, 1605 South Carr. Bring gifts for Home For the Aged. Miss Mary Hurlbut will be speaker.


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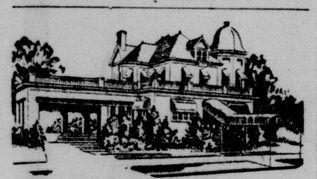


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## OBITUARIES

### Mrs. Harry L. Webb

Mrs. Harry L. Webb, 71, died Wednesday, Dec. 19, at her home, 1217 East 13th.

Mrs. Webb is survived by her husband, Harry Webb; one son, Cris Mackey, of Kansas City; one daughter, Maude Blackburn, Tulsa Okla.; and one sister, Mrs. George Kirkendoll, Walker, Mo.

The body was taken to Blue Springs, Mo., to the Webb funeral home. The funeral will be at Blue Springs Saturday.

### Roy J. Fender

Roy J. Fender, 50, 32nd and Kentucky, died at 3:30 p. m. Wednesday at the Bothwell hospital, death being attributed to a heart attack he suffered that morning.

Mr. Fender, a machinist at the Missouri Pacific shops, was the son of Jacob F. and Alvena Tingler Fender and was born at Springfield, Mo., Sept. 30, 1901. His mother died in Sedalia on Dec. 30, 1948.

Since coming to Sedalia from Springfield in Sept., 1924, he had been active in various shops' organizations and was chairman of the machinists' shops committee. He also was secretary and treasurer of district No. 5 of the International Association of Machinists. He was a member of the Immanuel Eangelical and Reformed church and was president of the brotherhood of that church. He was also a member of the Granite lodge, No. 272, A. F. & A. M., Knights Templar and Shriners.

He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Leah Fender, to whom he was married Aug. 30, 1930; three children, Jimmy, Ruth Ann and David Lee Fender; a brother, Frank Fender of Sedalia and his father.

The body was taken to the Gillespie funeral home to remain until 1:30 p. m. Friday when it will be taken to the Immanuel Evangelical and Reformed church, Vermont and Fourth, to lie in state until the funeral hour of 2:30 p. m. The pastor, the Rev. W. C. Bessmer, will officiate and Miss Lillian Fox will play organ music.

Honorary pallbearers will be Guy Bailey, Harry Satterwhite, Ed Miller, Rudolph Ramlow, Larry Judd and F. L. Hanigan. Active will be Percy Crecelius, Ernest Liebel, John Staubli, David Edwards, William Donath and Arthur Houx.

A Masonic service with Knights Templar escort will be held.

Burial will be in Memorial Park cemetery.

### George M. Brown

George M. Brown of Boulder City, Nev., formerly of Sedalia, died unexpectedly about 9:30 p. m. Wednesday at his home.

For several years Mr. Brown resided in Sedalia and was associated with his brothers-in-law, Ben and Dan Robinson, in the Mid-State Building Inc. Mr. Brown a mining engineer, then went to Boulder City where he was general manager of Manganese Inc., but he was still a partner in the building company at the time of his death.

Mr. Brown was a member of the Sedalia Elks lodge while here, transferring his membership when he moved to Boulder City, and was also affiliated with the Episcopal church.

Surviving are: his wife, Mrs. Evelyn Robinson Brown; a daughter by a former marriage, Mrs. Francis Fowler, Laguna Beach, Fla., and one sister, Mrs. W. A. Hawke of San Francisco, Calif.

Funeral services will be held at 3 p. m. Friday at the Boulder City Episcopal church. A mass will be held at the St. Christopher church at 10:30 that morning.

### Jesse A. Spurlock Services

With the Rev. Lyman Firestone officiating at the Versailles Methodist church, the funeral of Jesse A. Spurlock, who died Tuesday at Bothwell hospital, was held at 2 p. m. Thursday. Music was by the church choir and pallbearers were business associates.

The body was at the Gillespie funeral home until Thursday morning when it was taken to Versailles.

### Funeral of Mrs. Burns

Funeral services for Mrs. Emma Caroline Bacht Burns, who died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Walter Self, at Florence, were held at the Syracuse Baptist church Sunday with the Rev. Roy Williams and the Rev. Wayne Masters officiating.

Mrs. Burns was born in Bates county, August 12, 1873 and married Daniel S. Burns Dec. 5, 1891. He, with one son Sidney L., four sisters and two brothers, preceded her in death. Surviving are Walter and Mrs. Charles Self of Syracuse, Ben, Ross and Mrs. Walter Self of Florence, Lawrence of Independence and Mrs. Elver Griswold of Los Gatos, Calif., eight grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Albert Ellis and a friend from Bunceton sang "The Old Rugged Cross," "How Beautiful Is Heaven" and "Rock of Ages."

Nephews served as pallbearers and nieces as flower girls.

Mrs. Burns was a member of Mt. Olive Baptist church. Her parents died when she was a child and she was reared in the home of a sister, Mrs. Louis Robertson.

## DAILY RECORD

### City Hospitals

BOTHWELL — Admitted for medical: Mrs. Elizabeth Kahn, 709 West Second; Mrs. W. C. Brewton, route 1, Houstonia; Leo Holman, 1421 West Tenth; William Biggs, 1311 East 20th; Walter Witt, 1609 South Park.

Accident: Mrs. Ollie Eakins, 106 South Prospect.

Dismissed: John Carl Lee, 2247 East Broadway; W. A. Derendinger, East Highway 50; Raymond Morris, Houstonia; Mrs. R. M. Dillon and daughter, 810 South Barrett.

HOSPITAL NO. 2—Admitted for medical: Tom Crews, 225 West Henry.

Dismissed: Mrs. Stella Chism, 600 West Cooper.

### In Other Hospitals

Diane Dalene Cramer, 2-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Cramer, star route, Florence, was dismissed from The Children's Mercy Hospital, Kansas City, after having medical treatment since November 13.

### Accidents

Two cars were damaged about $200 each at 5:30 p. m. Wednesday, just outside the city limits on west highway 50.

A 1935 model car, driven by George Eckles, La Monte, skidded into a 1939 model car driven by Earl Priesmeyer, 204 North Quincy.

There were no injuries.

State Trooper Pete Stohr conducted the investigation.

### Magistrate Court

Homer Kindle, Jr., 125 East Boonville, failed to appear in court and Judge Jerry Trotter ordered his cash bond of $25, on a charge of careless and reckless driving, forfeited. Kindle was arrested at Mill and Saline.

The case of Cecil R. Shull, charged with disturbing the peace of Glenn Lower, was dismissed in police court.

Marjorie Weimholt, Sedalia, found a small pocketbook in front of Burkholders, Second and Ohio, Wednesday. It contained $1. She took it to police headquarters.

Mrs. Leroy Busick, 419 East St. Louis, reported to the police the loss of her billfold somewhere between the courthouse and Second and Ohio. It contained about $34.

### Circuit Court

Clarence Oland Tucker was granted a divorce Thursday by Judge Dimmitt Hoffman from Elvera Fern Tucker. General indignities were alleged. Wesner and Wesner represented the plaintiff.

An interpleader suit has been filed in circuit court by the Porter Real Estate Co., against Owen Ball, Mary L. Ball, George E. Boots and Helen R. Boots. The plaintiff deposited with Bryan Howe, circuit clerk, $1,200 which had been deposited in escrow pending approval of a contract regarding the purchase of property.

Both defendants, Ball and Boots, have demanded the refund and the plaintiff has sued to cause the defendants to interplea with respect to their claims and that the court determine and adjudge which are entitled to the fund. Lamm, Barnett and Wolfe represented the plaintiff.

## Sedalia Bank Host At Christmas Movie Monday Morn at 10

Sedalia Bank and Trust Co., will be host to all youngsters under 16 at a Christmas party Monday at 10 a. m. at the Uptown Theatre. Ice cream will be served to the children following the show.

All youths are invited to attend.

## Salvation Army's 'Tree of Lights' Not Bright Yet

The Salvation Army "Tree of Lights" program is a little slower this year, due to the bad weather, but it is hoped that the last few days before Christmas will bring enough through the kettles, mail and caroling, to reach the quota of $1,500 to provide Christmas dinners for 45 families as well as candy, nuts, fruit and toys for 125 children.

To date there has been sufficient funds to light 63 lights, one for every $15 donated.


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## Report Dean Despondent A Year Ago

CHICAGO, Dec. 20—(AP)—The Chicago Daily News today published a censored Tokyo dispatch saying Maj. Gen. William F. Dean was reported ill and despondent in a prison camp when seen late in the summer of 1950.

The News said its correspondent, Keyes Beech, had sent on Oct. 3 a carbon copy of the dispatch which Beech said Tokyo censor would not clear on the ground it would cause Dean's family "great personal anguish" and might endanger the general's life.

The dispatch was released today by the Chicago Daily News foreign service.

Beech reported Maj. Roy E. Appleman, of Richmond, Va., official army historian, told the correspondent an account given Appleman by a North Korean agent who allegedly befriend Dean.

"I can not vouch for his story, but it is the most credible among many that I've heard as to what happened to Dean after the fall of Taejon," Appleman said. In brief, the account is this:

After the fall of Taejon, Dean wandered off in the hills, scraping up whatever food he could find to survive. Ultimately, he went to a Korea village for food, was spotted by a North Korean agent and taken prisoner.

Dean wore no insignia of rank or anything else to identify him as a general officer. His identity was not discovered until taken to Pyongyang. Then the Communists separated him from other POWs and questioned him "almost without letup for eight days but he refused to give the enemy the information they wanted despite his weakened condition."

"He apparently never recovered from the effects of his wanderings. He suffered an attack of diarrhea that almost killed him, then recovered to be struck by another illness that wasn't identified."

Appleman quoted the North Korean agent as saying Dean was "very despondent" when he last saw him.

## Sen. A. Capper Dies After 30 Years a Solon

TOPEKA, Kas., Dec. 20—(AP)—Arthur Capper, a Kansas Republican who served in the U. S. Senate for three decades, died last night at the age of 86.

Capper retired from politics three years ago, giving up his Senate seat on Jan. 3, 1949.

In recent months his health had been bad and he became critically ill with pneumonia two weeks ago.

Capper, who started newspaper work as a printer's apprentice at $1 a week during his high school days, owned two daily newspapers and eight farm magazines with a combined circulation of 4,500,000.

The newspapers are the Topeka Daily Capital and the Kansas City, Kas., Kansan. He also owned two radio stations.

He was a leader in farm legislation during his years in Congress. He was chairman of the Senate agriculture committee when he retired. Legislation bearing his name included the Capper-Volstead Act, the Illegal Foundation for Farm Cooperatives, and the Capper-Tinchel Act providing for regulation of grain exchanges.

He frequently was referred to as the Republican voice of the mid-west farmer.

Children were his main hobby although he had none of his own. He lent hundreds of thousands of dollars to farm youths through the Capper "Pig and Calf Clubs" which gave youngsters a chance to own their own livestock. He also established a crippled children fund.

For more than 40 years he gave a birthday anniveversary party in Topeka for children of the county. The parties were attended by thousands.

Capper served two terms as Kansas governor before being elected to the Senate in 1918.

A sister, Mrs. A. L. Eustice of Evanston, Ill., is his only survivor.

Funeral arrangements were incomplete.

## Cpl. Fred Morelock Back In States Today

Cpl. Fred Morelock, 1620 South Brown, Sedalia, and Sgt. John W. Fletcher, Clinton, were among the 28 Missouri veterans of the Korean War who arrived at Seattle, Wash., Thursday on a troop ship. It had been delayed a day in arriving.

Cpl. Morelock is expected to be assigned to Camp Crowder, Mo., following a leave, part of which he will spend here with his sister, Mrs. Lester Rosenhan, Jr.

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## *High School Musical Group Sings for Kiwanis Yule Party*

The Christmas theme pervaded the program of the Sedalia Kiwanis club's ladies' night meeting in Bothwell hotel Thursday night.

Smith-Cotton high school's mixed chorus, under direction of Miss Geraldine Teufel, presented a program of Christmas music which also included solos by Mary Jo Case and Chester O'Bannon. Caroline Stewart was piano accompanist.

Preliminary to the meeting and during the dinner, Mrs. Nellie Monegan played organ music. She was also accompanist for Miss Ann Marshall, student at Missouri Valley college, who sang several solos and received high praise for her vocal accomplishment. Miss Marshall is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Allgaier, who had as their guests Miss Marshall's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Farris Marshall, Higginsville.

The principal talk of the evening, a Christmas message of good will and encouragement, was delivered by Past President Henry Salvater.

George Dugan was chairman and presented the program participants.

President T. H. Yount, on behalf of the club, presented Mrs. Monegan a luggage gift in appreciation of her work as club pianist during the year.

He also announced there would be a meeting of the board of directors at the home of Frank Keyser, West Fourth, at 7:30 Friday evening.

Eighty-two persons attended the party at the conclusion of which many remained to enjoy an evening of card playing.

## Methodist Men Have Father-Son Banquet at Church

The men of the Fifth street Methodist church met Wednesday evening in the church dining room for their annual father and son banquet.

The meal was a contributed dinner by the fathers. About 25 men attended with their own sons or with sons 'adopted' for the evening.

The speaker of the occasion was Ray Lippard, who chose as his subject: "Boys Will Be Men."

Mr. Lippard said the three things every father wants are to progress, to leave to his son a better world and a better opportunity than he had. The three things a boy wants, the speaker said are understanding, a chance to play, and companionship. Using some illustrative stories of great men of sports, Mr. Lippard told the fathers how impressionable boys are and how their futures are shaped by the lives and deeds of their heros—the first of which is the father himself.

## 4 Auto Firms Ask for Higher Lids for 1952

DETROIT, Dec. 20—(AP)—The auto industry moved for higher prices today as insurance against rising costs in 1952.

Ford, Studebaker, Hudson and Kaiser-Frazer have applied for higher ceiling prices, the government said yesterday. Auto industry, sources said other car makers are expected to follow suit.

It was understoood, however, the price increases, if authorized by the Office of Price Administration (OPS), would not apply to 1951 models. The auto manufacturers seek authority to raise prices on 1952 models if they feel increases are necessary to keep a safe operating margin.

Ford and the three independent firms made their requests under the Capehart amendment to the economic controls law. Senator Capehart (R-Ind.) was sponsor of the amendment requiring that ceiling prices make allowance for certain rises in costs.

The increases requested by the four firms range, at the factory level, from 4.37 per cent on Ford's Mercury models to 28.48 per cent on Kaiser-Frazer's Henry J. models.

The OPS will have to review and formally approve the applications before they can be put into effect.

Generally, the proposed increases would be the third for the car industry this year.

If they are authorized by the OPS, the car makers would be in a position to increase the price tags of 1952 models.

Ford is expected to present its new models around the first of February. Studebaker may disclose the details of its new cars next week. There has been on indication from Hudson when it will announce its new models.

Automobile prices were frozen a year ago at levels prevailing on Dec. 1, 1950. However the OPS granted a 3 ½ per cent increase in manufacturer's ceilings last March 2 to compensate partially for higher costs. Last Sept. 8 manufacturers were allowed to seek price changes averaging 5 to 6 per cent to reflect higher labor and material costs from the Korean outbreak through last March 15.

## Merl Young, 3 Others Held By Grand Jury

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20—(AP)—E. Merl Young, who used to have White House entree, and the lawyer who financed Mrs. Young's $9,450 royal pastel mink coat have been accused by a federal grand jury of lying under oath.

The jury late yesterday returned four indictments — the first to come out in the wake of the widely publicized Senate probe of influence peddling in connection with Reconstruction Finance corporation (RFC) loans.

James M. McInerney, who heads the justice department's criminal division, said the jury will resume work on the same investigation after the first of the year.

Indicted on perjury charges with Merl Young were Joseph H. Rosenbaum and Robert W. Dudley, Washington lawyers, and Young's brother, Herschel Young. All were accused of lying either to the subcommittee headed by Senator Fulbright (D-Ark) or to the grand jury.

Mrs. Young's mink coat harvested a bumper crop of headlines in the Fulbright hearings. She was a White House stenographer at the time but since has left that job.

The testimony revealed that Rosenbaum had arranged for the purchase of the coat. Rosenbaum said he had loaned Young the money to buy it. Young said recently he had repaid the full amount.

Senators were interested in whether the mink was a payment to Young for his possible influence on RFC lending. Young and Rosenbaum both denied that it was.

One of the perjury counts against Rosenbaum involved his denial that he ever bragged of his close connection with an RFC director. There was testimony before the subcommittee that he said he had two RFC directors "in his hip pocket.". He told the senators he said no such thing.

Merl Young and Rosenbaum, who represented many loan-seeking applicants, were included in what the Fulbright group described as "a web of influence." Included in this were some former RFC directors and officials as well as Donald S. Dawson, a presidential administrative assistant.

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## THE MARKETS

### St. Louis Livestock

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill., Dec. 20—(AP)—(USDA)—Hogs 11,500; active; very uneven; weights 180 to 210 pounds strong to 10 cents higher than Wednesday's average; spots 25 cents higher; 170 pounds down fully 25 cents or more higher; 220 pounds up unevenly weak to 25 cents lower; sows about steady; bulk choice 180 to 220 pounds $18.50 to $18.85; sales at $18.65 up, mostly choice No. 1 and 2, 210 pounds down; about 100 head around 200 pound weights $19.00; 220 to 240 pounds $18.25 to $28.65; big packers buying $18.35 down; 250 to 270 pounds $17.75 to $18.10; 280 to 310 pounds $17.00 to $17.50; 150 to 170 pounds $18.00 to $19.00; largely $18.75 down; 120 to 140 pounds $16.50 to $17.75; sows 400 pounds down $15.25 to $16.00; heavier sows $13.25 to $15.00; stags $13.50 to $15.00; boars $11.50 to $13.50.

Cattle 1,300; calves 350; cattle finding moderately active demand with prices generally firm; one load high choice to prime 1,146 pound steers $35.50; few commercial and good $28.00 to $31.75; about 30 per cent of receipts cows; utility and commercial cows $21.00 to $23.50; odd head to $25.50; canners and cutters $16.00 to $21.00; utility and commercial bulls $24.50 to $28.50; high commercials $28.75; cutter bulls $21.00 to $23.50; good and choice vealers $30.00 to $38.00;; odd head prime to $43.00; utility and commercial vealers $21.00 to $28.00.

Sheep 600; slaughter lambs opened fully steady to strong; choice and prime odd lots $28.00 to $29.00; utility and good lots largely $22.00 to $27.00; cull and utility throwouts $15.00 to $21.00; odd head wooled ewes $14.00 down.

### Chicago Livestock

CHICAGO, Dec. 20—(AP)—(USDA)—Hogs 18,000; barrows and gilts unevenly 10 to 25 cents lower; most decline on weights 230 pounds and over; sows steady to 25 cents lower; most sales choice 170 to 220 pound butchers $18.35 to $18.65; few loads $18.70 to $18.75 to shippers; bulk 230 to 270 pounds $17.25 to $18.25; numerous loads around 250 pound averages $17.65 to $17.75; 280 to 310 pounds $16.75 to $17.25; choice sows 400 pounds and less $15.15 to $16.25; occasional lighter weights slightly more; 400 to 500 pounds mostly $14.00 to $15.35; load around 550 pounds $13.75.

Cattle 3,500; calves 300; choice and prime steers and good to prime yearlings fairly active, fully steady; other grades slow, weak; heifers fully steady; cows uneven, averaging steady; bulls and vealers fully steady; high-choice and prime steers and yearlings $34.75 to $37.50; two loads high-prime 976 to 1,146 pound weights $37.50; two loads prime 1,441 pound steers $35.60; most choice steers a yearlings $33.00 to $34.50; good to low-choice grades $30.00 to $32.75; commercial to low-good steers $26.00 to $29.50; good to low-prime heifers $30.00 to $34.50; commercial cows $22.75 to $24.50; canner to utility cows $17.0 to $22.50; utility to good bulls $26.00 to $30.00; commercian to prime vealers $28.00 to $37.00.

Sheep 1,000; slaughter lambs 25 to 50 cents higher; cull natives shared advance; top $30.50; bulk good-prime lambs $29.50 to $30.50; cull $19.00 to $24.00; yearlings about steady; choice $24.00; ewes strong at $12.00 to $15.00.

### Kansas City Livestock

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 20—(AP)—(USDA)—Cattle 500; calves 100; trade little more than a cleanup on small late week supply; 3 loads good to average choice fed steers $30.00 to $33.25, including a load of 1,158 pound weights at $33.25; about steady; other classes scarce, nominally steady.

Hogs 2,000; fairly active, steady to 25 cents lower; mostly steady with Wednesday's average; choice No. 1, No. 2 and No. 3; scaling 180 to 270 pounds $17.50 to $17.75; latter price on full width of grade on weights up to 260 pounds; no shipper demand; sows steady, mostly $14.00 to $16.00; stags $14.00 down.

Sheep 1,000, fresh receipts limited to around 125 pound native trucked in lambs steady to 25 cents higher; most good and choice lots $27.00 to $28.25; lower grades down to $17.00; slaughter ewes steady at $8.50 to $14.00.

### Chicago Poultry

CHICAGO, Dec. 20—(AP)—(USDA)—Live poultry: firm; receipts 15 loads; F. O. B. paying prices unchanged to two cents a pound lower:

Heavy hens 30c to 32.5c; light hens 22c to 23c; roasters 27c to 33c; fryers 26c to 28.5c; old roosters 21c to 23c; ducks 25c; hen turkeys 50c; tom turkeys 38c to 39c.

### Chicago Produce

CHICAGO, Dec. 20—(AP)—Butter steady to firm; receipts 550,100; wholesale selling prices unchanged to ¾ cent a pound higher:

93 score AA, 78c; 92 A, 77.75c; 90 B, 76.25c; 89 C, 73c; cars: 90 B, 76.75c; 89 C, 75c.

Eggs weak; receipts 14,930; wholesale selling prices one to 3½ cents a dozen lower:

U. S. extras 46.5c; U. S. mediums 40c; U. S. standards 41c; current receipts 38c; dirties 37c; checks 36c.

### St. Louis Produce and Poultry

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 20—(AP)—Produce and live poultry:

Eggs: Wholesale grades, extras (60-70 per cent A) 48c to 49c; standards 42c to 43c; nearby unclassified 38c; Iowa unclassified 38c to 40c; pullets 35c to 36c; consumer grades, AA large 50c to 54c; A large 47c to 50c; A medium 43c to 47c; B large 43c to 46c; small 33c to 36c.

Butter: 92 score 77½c; 90 score 75c to 75½c; 89 score 71½c to 73½c.

Butterfat: Missouri points, No. 1, 72c; No. 2, 69c; Illinois points, one cent less.

Cheese (Wisconsin): Cheddars 44c to 45c; twins 44½c to 45c; flats 45¼c to 46¼c; longhorns 46¼c to 46¾c; daisies 46c to 46½c; prints 51c ta 51½c; brick 45½c to 46c; Swiss 51c to 53c; process 45c to 45½c; nearby cheese one cent less.

Fowl: Heavy hens 27c to 28c; Leghorns 19½c; No. 2's 5c; commercial fryers, broilers and roasters, crosses and whites 30c to 31c; reds 28c to 30c; nearby miscellaneous lots, whites 26c to 28c; reds 25c to 26c; whites (over 5 pounds) 32c; reds (over 5 pounds 30c; Leghorns 19c; No. 2's 12c to 15c; ducks, young 5 pounds and up 26c; small dark, Muscovy 18c; turkeys, young toms 36c 36c; young hens 44c to 46c; Beltsville hens and toms 41c to 42c; old hens 30c; old toms 27c; No. 2's 15c to 22c; capons 7 pounds and over 40c; small 35c; slips 31c; geese over 12 pounds 21c; small 23c; roosters, old cocks and Leghorn stags 19c; staggy young 20c; guineas, young 2 pounds and up 55c; young small 45c; old 20c.

### Kansas City Produce

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 20—(AP)—Produce:

Eggs: extras, 60 per cent A, 44c; standards 39c; mediums 38c; unclassified (current receipts) 54½ pounds up 36c.

Butter: Grade A, pounds in cartons 81.5c; grade A, pounds in quarters 82c.

Butterfat pound: 72c to 75c.

### Chicago Cash Grain

CHICAGO, Dec. 20—(AP)—Cash grain: Wheat: None.

Corn: No. 4 yellow $1.85¾; sample grade $1.35 to $1.67¼.

Oats: No. 1 extra heavy white $1.02½.

Barley nominal: malting $1.30 to $1.75; feed $1.25 to $1.40.

Field seed per hundredweight nominal: red clover $33.00 to $34.00; timothy $9.50 to $10.00.

Soybeans: No. 1 yellow $2.93¼ track country station.

### St. Louis Cash Grain

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 20—(AP)—Cash grain: Wheat: 14 cars, sold two, No. 5 red winter tough $2.36; sample grade garlicky $1.85.

Corn: 49 cars, sold 10, No. 2 yellow $1.99¾; No. 3 yellow $1.90 to $1.94½; No. 4 yellow $1.90¾.

Oats: Two cars, sold one, No. 1 mixed $1.05.

### Chicago Lard Market

CHICAGO, Dec. 20—(AP)—Cash lard 15.25 cents a pound today, loose 13.75 cents.

### Kansas City Cash Grain

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 20—(AP)—Wheat: 69 cars, tone down ½ cent to up 1 cent. No. 2 hard and dark hard $2.52¼; No. 3, $2.46¼ to $2.60¾ nominal; No. 2 red $2.50¾ to $2.57¾ nominal; No. 3, $2.47¾ to $2.53¾ nominal.

Corn: 85 cars, tone even to up 1¼ cents. No. 2 white $2.20¼ to $2.28 nominal; No. 3, $1.92¼ to $2.27 nominal; No. 2 yellow and mixed $1.94¼ to $2.00½ nominal; No. 3, $1.87½.

Oats: 7 cars, tone nominally even to down ¼ cent. No. 2 white $1.03 to $1.08¾ nominal; No. 3, $1.01 to $1.07¾ nominal.

Milo maize $2.83½ to $2.88¾ nominal.

Kafir $2.83½ to $2.88¾ nominal.

Rye $1.90 to $1.95 nominal.

Barley $1.50 to $1.53 nominal.

Soybeans $3.02¼.

### Chicago Grain Futures

CHICAGO, Dec. 20—(AP)—

| | High | Low | Close Thurs. | Close Wed. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| WHEAT— | | | | |
| Dec | 2.61¼ | 2.57 | 2.58 | 2.59¾ |
| Mar | 2.63 | 2.61¼ | 2.61¼ | 2.61¾ |
| May | 2.59⅝ | 2.58⅜ | 2.58⅜ | 2.58¼ |
| July | 2.50⅛ | 2.47½ | 2.49⅜ | 2.49¼ |
| Sept | 2.51 | 2.49½ | 2.50½ | 2.50⅜ |
| CORN— | | | | |
| Dec | 1.93⅜ | 1.92¼ | 1.92⅝ | 1.93 |
| Mar | 1.96½ | 1.95¼ | 1.95¾ | 1.95⅝ |
| May | 1.98½ | 1.95¼ | 1.95⅜ | 1.95¼ |
| July | 1.95⅞ | 1.94⅜ | 1.95½ | 1.95 |
| Sept | 1.92⅝ | 1.91¾ | 1.92⅜ | 1.92 |
| OATS— | | | | |
| Dec | .96⅛ | .94½ | .95½ | .98½ |
| Mar | .99⅛ | .98 | .98⅝ | .98½ |
| May | .96¾ | .95⅞ | .96⅜ | .95⅞ |
| July | .92½ | .91⅝ | .92¼ | .91⅜ |
| Sept | .91⅝ | .91 | .91⅜ | .90¾ |
| RYE—New Style | | | | |
| Dec | 2.14 | 2.11½ | 2.13¼ | 2.11½ |
| May | 2.14⅜ | 2.12 | 2.13 | 2.12 |
| July | 2.10¼ | 2.09 | 2.09¾ | 2.08¾ |
| RYE—Old Style | | | | |
| Dec | —— | —— | 2.12½ | 2.12⅛ |
| SOYBEANS— | | | | |
| Jan | 3.03½ | 3.01¼ | 3.02¼ | 3.01 |
| Mar | 3.02¾ | 3.00¼ | 3.01½ | 3.00 |
| May | 3.01 | 2.98¼ | 2.99¾ | 2.98¼ |
| July | 2.99½ | 2.97¼ | 2.97¾ | 2.97 |
| Sept | 2.89¾ | 2.88 | 2.88½ | 2.87¾ |

### Leading Stocks At Close

| | Close Wed. | Close Thurs. |
|---|---|---|
| Allied Chemical | 75 | 75⅜ |
| Allis Chalmers | 51¼ | 51¼ |
| American Airlines | 16⅞ | 16¾ |
| American Can | 111½ | 112 |
| American Rad St. S. | 16 | 15⅞ |
| American T and T. | 155¾ | 155½ |
| American Tobacco | 61½ | 61½ |
| Anacon Copper | 50¾ | 50½ |
| Armour and Co. | 12⅛ | 12⅛ |
| A T and Santa Fe | 78 | 77¾ |
| Atlas Powder | 39½ | 39½ |
| Avco Manufacturing | 6⅞ | 6⅞ |
| Beech Aircraft | —— | 12⅞ |
| Bendix Aviation | 53¼ | 52 |
| Bethlehem Steel | 51⅜ | 50¾ |
| Borden | 49⅞ | 49⅝ |
| Borg Warner | 62¾ | 63 |
| Braniff Airway | 15 | 14⅞ |
| Brown Sh | —— | —— |
| Burrough Add. Machine | 18⅛ | 18⅛ |
| Case (JI) | —— | 141¾ |
| Chesapeake and Ohio | 32 | 32⅛ |
| Chrysler | 70⅜ | 70¼ |
| Cities Service | 103¾ | 103¾ |
| Coca Cola | 102½ | 103 |
| Continental Motors | 9⅛ | 9⅛ |
| Continental Oil | 56⅞ | 57 |
| Corn Products | 68¾ | 68 |
| Cudahy Packing | 7¾ | 7⅝ |
| Curtiss Wright | 9¼ | 9¼ |
| Du Pont | 91½ | 91¾ |
| Eastman Kodak | 50 | 49⅝ |
| General Electric | 58 | 57¾ |
| General Foods | 42⅞ | 43⅛ |
| General Motors | 51⅜ | 51⅛ |
| Gillette | 29¼ | 29⅛ |
| Goodrich | 61½ | 61¼ |
| Graham Paige | 3 | 3 |
| Greyhound | 11¼ | 11¼ |
| Gulf Oil | 53 | 53⅜ |
| Hercules Powder | 67 | 66¾ |
| Hudson Motors | 13 | 13 |
| International Harvester | 34⅞ | 34⅞ |
| International Paper | 49¾ | 49¾ |
| International Shoes | 38⅛ | 38½ |
| Kansas City Southern | 63¾ | 63 |
| Kansas Power and Light | 16¾ | 16½ |
| Kennecott | 86¾ | 86 |
| Kresgee (SS) | 39¼ | 39½ |
| Kroeger | 35 | 34 |
| Liggett and Meyers | 66⅜ | 66⅜ |
| Lily Tulip | —— | 60¾ |
| Loew's Inc. | 17⅛ | 17¼ |
| Lone St. Cem. | 24⅜ | 24⅜ |
| Loriallard | 21⅛ | 21⅛ |
| Martin (GL) | 12¾ | 13⅛ |
| McKess and R. | 40⅞ | 41 |
| Mid Continent Petroleum | 69⅛ | 69 |
| Missouri-Kansas-Texas | 8 | 7⅞ |
| Montgomery Ward | 68 | 67⅞ |
| Nash Kelvinator | 19 | 18¾ |
| National Biscuit | 30 | 30 |
| National Cash Register | 56½ | 57 |
| National Dairy | 48⅞ | 49⅛ |
| National Distillery | 34¼ | 34½ |
| New York Central | 18¾ | 18½ |
| Packard | 4¾ | 4¾ |
| Paramount Pictures | 25⅜ | 25⅜ |
| Penney (JC) | 69¾ | 70 |
| Penn R. R. | 17⅞ | 17⅞ |
| Pepsi Cola | 9⅜ | 9½ |
| Philco | 27 | 27 |
| Phillips Petroleum | 49¾ | 49½ |
| Proctor and Gamble | 66½ | 66 |
| Pure Oil | 61 | 61 |
| Quaker Oats | 30⅜ | 30¼ |
| Radio Corporation | 23½ | 23⅜ |
| Safeway | 32⅜ | 32½ |
| Sears Roebuck | 55¾ | 56 |
| Sinclair Oil | 43⅛ | 43¼ |
| Skelley Oil | 93¼ | 92½ |
| Socony Vacuum | 34⅞ | 34¾ |
| Standard Brands | 21⅜ | 21⅝ |
| Standard Oil Indiana | 72 | 72¾ |
| Standard Oil N. J. | 74 | 74⅞ |
| Stewart Warner | 19¾ | 19¾ |
| Studebaker | 33½ | 33¾ |
| Sunshine Biscuit | —— | 63⅜ |
| Swift and Co. | 33⅜ | 33⅛ |
| Texas Co. | 56⅜ | 56 |
| Union Pacific | 100½ | 100¾ |
| Union Air Lines | 34⅞ | 34½ |
| U. S. Steel | 40 | 39⅞ |
| Westinghouse Electric | 39½ | 39⅝ |
| Wilson and Co. | 12¾ | 12⅞ |
| Woolworth | 42¼ | 42½ |
| Zenith Radio | 69¼ | 68½ |

## 'Holiday Revue' By Dance Pupils Tonight at Fox

The "Holiday Revue" will be presented at 8:45 p. m. Thursday at the Fox theatre by the Harper's School of Artistic Dance.

The following program will be presented:

"Winter Wonderland" — Elizabeth Sullivan, Marilyn Twenter, Nancy Prowell and Patty Ball.

"If I Were Santa Claus"—Dixie Wilt and Carolyn West.

"Rudolph, the Red Nosed Reindeer" — Jerry Mayfield, Susan Alexander, Ella Dow, Joyce Dennis and Iona Fleshman.

"Frosty the Snowman"—Mike Larson, Randy Lyle, Gary Zinn, Trudy Hotsenpiller, Marsha Evans, Carol Hillman and Susan Priese.

"Swaying Daffodiles"—Marsha Brown and

Hal Boyle's Column—

## She Specializes In Baldies, Wants Men's Beauty Parlors

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 20 —(AP)— "Say, George, that permanent looks simply grand on you. Where did you get it done?"

"Why, thank you, Herbert. I got it at Pierre's salon for men. You should try him; he's grand for facials."

That's the sort of conversation you'd be hearing on the bus, if Patricia Stenz had her way. She's advocating beauty parlors for men.

Miss Stenz might well be called a beautician for men. Her principal job is growing hair on balding pates, and she claims to have done so for an imposing list of Hollywood actors. She is also concerned with making males more handsome.

"Why shouldn't men look their best?" inquired Miss Stenz, an attractive woman who is quite vocal about male appearance. "Why should women have a monopoly on making an effort to improve their appearance? There are simple things that men could do to make themselves look better, and still not detract from their manliness.

"For instance, many men have eyebrows and eyelashes that are too light to be seen. The application of a little eyebrow pencil would give their faces a great deal of character and handsomeness. I do it for many of them who come to my shop, and they don't mind it at all."

She added that many men would be more attractive with a different shade of hair. In fact, some of them have been using the home-dye kits now on the market. On the sly, of course.

"Men who have been disfigured in the war must wear makeup and they become used to the idea," she remarked. She mentioned a well-known actor's son-in-law, who had been badly burned while flying for the British. He puts on a makeup as a daily routine.

Miss Stenz said that a prime function of male beauty parlors would be to show men how to style their hair. She argued that improper styling was a major cause of baldness.

"Most men still comb their hair the way their mothers tried to train it," she said. "The fact is that every head is different, and each haircut should be styled to fit the head by an expert. Otherwise, the hair will not grow properly."

"Take men like Farley Granger, John Derek and Tony Curtis," she declared. "Each of them has hair that is a mess. It flops around unmanageably, and none of them ever looks well-groomed, even in tuxedos. They have to load their hair with goop, and that's the beginning of the end. Their hair will be falling out by the handful.

"On the other hand, men like Jerry Lewis, David Wayne and Mickey Rooney cut their hair too short. The hair on the side of the head is stronger, and it takes the strength from the top, which gets thinner and thinner.

"That happened to Dick Powell. He had his hair cropped five years ago for 'Cornered,' and discovered how thin his hair was getting. That's when he came to me, and now he has a fine head of hair again."

Miss Stenz sighed that male beauty parlors might be impractical, since men wouldn't want to be seen entering them. Then how about harking back to prohibition days? There could be beauty-easies with peep-holes in the doors and everything.

Just knock twice and ask for Francois.

## Dutch Troops Send Tape Recordings Home as Yule 'Cards'

WITH NETHERLANDS BATTALION, Korea, Dec. 20—(AP)—Dutch troops in Korea are sending Christmas greetings directly to their home in the form of tape recordings.

Voice of America records them here and sends the tape to New York for relay to Dutch radio networks.

A choir of 50 soldiers directed by Chaplain Domino Meerburg of Maastricht recorded Christmas music.

## H-Bomb Plant Builders Hit At Probers

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20—(AP)—Builders of the government's vast H-bomb materials plant have been "plagued with what they consider unwarranted and unnecessary investigations" by congressional groups, a report to one of them declares.

The report, made to the Senate-House Defense Production committee by two of its investigators, says that during September and October the Atomic Energy Commission (AEC) and the construction contractor used up a total of 4,100 man-hours taking part in such inquiries.

And in an accompanying statement the contractor, E. I. Du Pont De Nemours & Co., says the investigations sometimes over lapped, both as to time and scope.

The big plant, now under construction, is located near Aiken, S. C., and is known as the Savannah River project.

The joint committee put out the report of its investigators today in making public testimony taken behind closed doors last Nov. 27. Chairman Gordon Dean of the AEC was among those present.

The meeting was arranged to review staff reports to the committee on progress at the South Carolina plant. The reports expressed some criticism and some praise.

Dean said at the session he thought an investigation of the kind conducted by the joint committee was "a healthy thing" and that the group's "influence will turn out to be good." He did not comment on the general assertion that the AEC and Du Pont had been "plagued" by congressional inquiries.

Senator Maybank (D-SC), the committee chairman, took some exception to the investigators' statement; declaring:

"Some of the investigations which were made by the congressional committees have more than paid their way, regardless of the amount of time consumed."

Senator Capehart (R-Ind), another member who was present, put it this way:

"After all, Congress is for the purpose of legislating: And if we did more legislating, instead of investigating, perhaps we would be better off.

"On the other hand, I do not know that that is entirely the case, because in the last three years the investigations have borne good fruits to the government."

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## Cold Cocktail Party War In High UN Circles Continues

PARIS, Dec. 20—(AP)—The cold cocktail party war is still on between U. N. Secretary-General Trygve Lie, a Norwegian, and the Russians.

U. N. secretariat personnel boycotted a party given by Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Vishinsky last night. Lie was not invited and told the staff not to go.

It looked like peace might prevail on the the social life when Vishinsky invited Lie and his family to a showing of Russian movies Nov. 22. Lie had a previous engagement but sent his daughters.

Then on Dec. 8 the Russians ignored a reception Lie hosted jointly with U. N. assembly president Luis Padilla Nervo, of Mexico. It was after this hat Lie told his people to stay away from Russian parties unless he got a bid too.

The Russian boycott on Lie—in official as well as party life—began when he was reelected UM.' administrative boss last year. The Russians said it was illegal.

## Van Fleet Promises Best Christmas Dinner Ever Served In Field

SOMEWHERE IN KOREA, Dec. 20—(AP)—Gen. James A. Van Fleet today promised the men of his Eighth Army the best Christmas and New Year's rations ever served in the field.

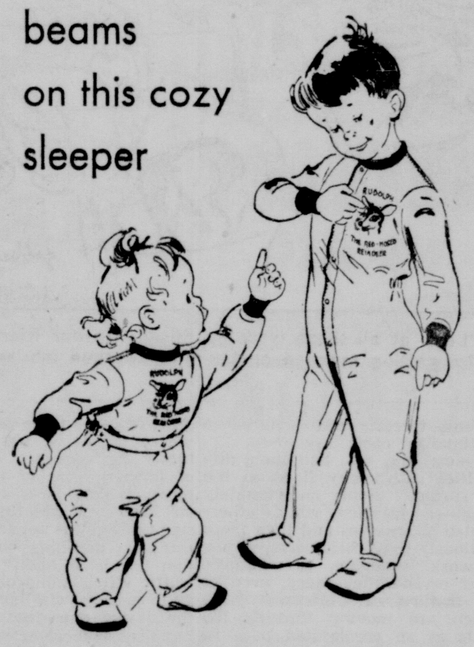
The menu will include shrimp cocktail, tomato juice, celery, olives, Roast turkey, sage dressing, mashed and sweet potatoes, peas, corn, cranberry sauce, rolls and butter, fruit cake, mince and pumpkin pie and mixed nuts.

And there will be no restrictions on seconds.

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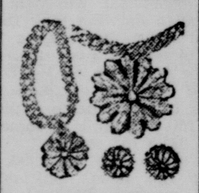


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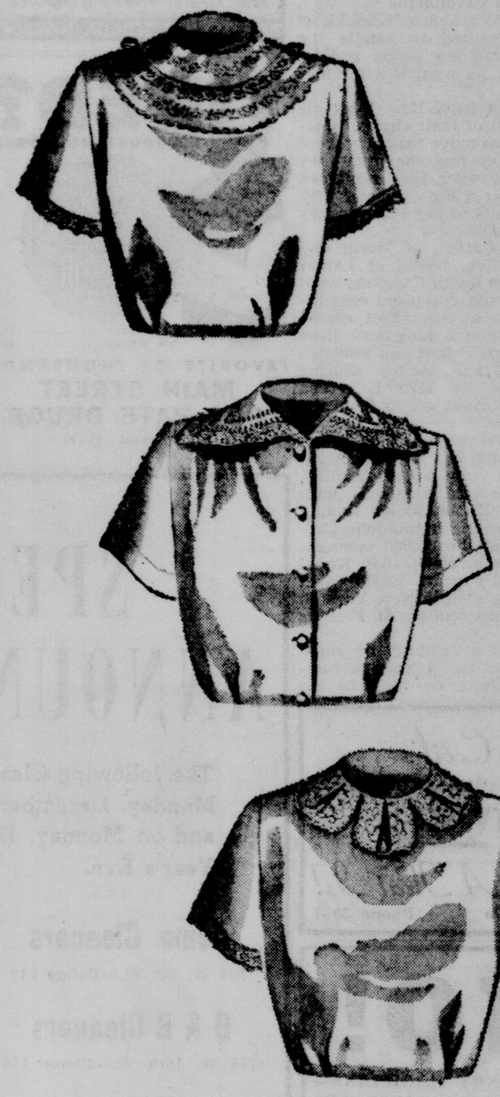
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# One Honest Official, a Woman, Blocked Big Tax-Fraud Deal

*By Drew Pearson*

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(Ed. Note — This is another in Drew Pearson's series on how to pull wires and escape paying taxes.)

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20 — No story of how to use influence and escape paying taxes would be complete without telling about the honest public officials who have stuck out their necks to block the corruption deals.

One of the best illustrations not only of an honest public official but of every conceivable wire was pulled to save two tax crooks is that of Jacob Friedus and Sam Aaron, second-hand machinery dealers in New York.

Though the $5,000 commission to Lamar Caudle for the purchase of an airplane made headlines, what the public doesn't know about is how one woman, Mrs. Florence Shientag, assistant U. S. attorney in New York, almost singlehanded blocked the wire-pullers. In the end, she won out, tried the case herself and sent the two tax defrauders to jail.

The story begins back in 1945 when Mrs. Shientag was prosecuting an alcohol tax fraud in Brooklyn and ran across the trail of Larry Knohl, the gentleman who later paid Caudle the $5,000 airplane commission. At that time, Knohl didn't have much more than the shirt on his back, plus a criminal record dating back to 1939.

**War Profiteers**

It was not until about four years later that Mrs. Shientag ran across Larry Knohl's trail again, this time as a tax fixer for two men, Friedus and Aaron, who had concealed $300,000 worth of income in their second-hand machinery business. Immediately she smelled trouble.

Friedus and his father-in-law, Aaron, had three secret bank accounts, and during the war years when other men of Friedus' age were fighting for their country, they had piled up a fortune selling machinery on the black market. In all, they owed Uncle Sam $219,000 in taxes for 1943-44, the two peak war years.

The two gentlemen, who didn't think they owed their country either military service or tax money, had prospered so exceedingly that they bought the Starrett-Lehigh building, organized the Starrett Television company, and after hiring a Kansas City friend of Democratic chairman Bill Boyle's, they were on the verge of putting across a $700,000 deal with the RFC.

Since they had reached all the way from New York to Kansas City to influence the RFC, they obviously knew how to pull wires. So they proceeded to pull wires to keep themselves out of jail.

First they used Larry Knohl, the fixer. Then Larry Knohl looked around for a way to influence Lamar Caudle, the man in charge of prosecuting tax-fraud cases in the justice department. Caudle was from North Carolina, a graduate of Wake Forest college. So Knohl approached John Caffey, also a graduate of Wake Forest, N. C. Though Caffey was originally from South Carolina, he was practicing law at Greensboro, N. C. and a friend of Caudle's.

**Two Naive Carolinians**

Caffey was asked by Knohl how much he wanted to handle the Friedus-Aaron tax cases, and he replied that he wanted a retainer of $2,500.

The fixers from New York almost fell out of their chairs. Caffey seemed so naive that they were not sure they had the man they wanted. However, they explained that this was a big case and they were prepared to pay more money—up to $25,000.

So John Caffey, of North and South Carolina, friend of Lamar Caudle, from North Carolina, went to work on the tax-fraud case involving two black-market machinery opreators a long way from the Carolinas. And you will still find Knohl and Caffey sharing joint offices at 1520 L street, Washington, right across from the Hotel Statler.

During the period that intervened, Caudle, the not too bright country boy from North Carolina, rode the private airplanes with city slicker Knohl, palled around with his Carolina friend John Caffey, got paid the $5,000 commission for an airplane that Knohl did not really want, while wires were being pulled in New York to block the prosecution of Friedus and Aaron.

Knohl did everything he could to pull wires and ingratiate himself with those on high in the Democratic party. He even bought ten tables at the big Democratic dinner in New York in 1949 — cost, $10,000. And he was careful to buy them through Lamar Caudle, who labored under the impression that all this attention was because people just naturally liked him.

**Wrong Lady Judge**

This was where Mrs. Shientag got her back up. The harder the wires were pulled to take the case out of her hands, the more insistent she became that the case go to trial. In this she got support from U. S. attorney Tom Murphy, now Judge Murphy. Finally she had her way.

The trial opened Oct. 9, 1950, lasted six weeks before U. S. judge Sam Kauffman and ended with four and two year jail sentences for the tax chiselers. Mrs. Shientag tried the case all by herself. Six high-powered attorneys represented the defendants.

Irony was that although Mrs. Shientag has deserved a U. S. judgeship for her long record in the U. S. attorney's office, Miss Frieda Hennock, of the FCC, was appointed instead — only to be blocked by the Senate. It will be interesting to see whether the White House now belatedly recognizes Mrs. Shientag's great job of overcoming the wire-pullers in Washington.

Note 1 — Just as Mrs. Shientag brought Friedus and Aaron to trial they were negotiating with the RFC for the purchase of the Aireon Manufacturing company by their own Starrett TV company. The deal was being arranged by Knohl and Leo B. Parker, a Kansas City attorney friend of Bill Boyle's. The RFC directors, apparently impressed by outside influence, did not bother to get a Starrett TV, and found out only by accident that the people to whom they were making the sale were being tried for tax evasion.

Note 2—Larry Knohl recently purchased the famous race horse, "The Battler," from Ogden Phipps of Long Island at a cost of $40,000. Apparently Knohl has come a long way from the day in 1945 when Mrs. Shientag found he didn't have much more than the shirt on his back. It looks like tax-fixing pays.

**Best Corn Grower**

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# *Democrat Pick-Ups*

**Odds and Ends**
**By News Staff**

One wife, learning her husband had hidden his Christmas gifts in the trunk of the car, remembered she had a key to the trunk and so notified her man.

He's not worried. The car sat out in the sleet storm and the trunk is fastened so tight with ice she couldn't get it open. But, for that matter—and now he is worried—will he be able to get it open in time to put the presents under the tree next Monday night?

The newly appointed Sedalia postmaster, Maurice Hogan, was shopping with his wife in a local store when a woman who wanted to buy some sox for an 18-months old baby turned to Mrs. Hogan and asked what size to get.

Mrs .Hogan told her, and quick as a wink up spoke Mr. Hogan with:

"Would you like to know any more sizes, lady, we have seven children and we could tell you."
—HL.

A young woman whose husband is in service is home for a while with her folks while her husband is on sea duty. The other day she was planning supper and thought she would have beans.

Looking around for something to cook the beans in she decided on the pressure cooker.

Of course she knew nothing about pressure cookers and that you are supposed to adjust the cooker for what you want to cook. To her it was just something to cook the beans in.

She put them in and after a while she took a peek at them—or at least that was what she intended to do. She took the top off and bang—there were beans every place, all over the stove, the floor and even on the ceiling.

"So—" she told a friend a few minutes after the bean explosion, "I will have to think of something else to have for supper."

That seems like the least of it. Getting the beans out of the kitchen sounds like a bigger job.—H.L.

Slippin', slidin', skidding and swaying in efforts to proceed were frequent for autoists Tuesday, that night and today and cars without chains, being stopped at street intersections, were immovable as the rear wheels spun on the icy pavement and they failed to respond until the driver had a happy thought.

"I'll just back 'er up," he mused and, unless a car was pressing too closely behind that also had the same difficulty, backward the auto went where the incline was sufficient to give it some momentum.

In many instances a full block in reverse was covered before suitable traction was acquired to continue on one's way.

Pedestrians, too, had their difficulties with many flops on the icy surface. Some unfortunately sustained injuries while others righted themselves and then more cautiously went their various ways to work, shopping, or whatever other errand they faced, even to the mailing of Christmas cards which are moving through the mails at an accelerated pace as Christmas rapidly draws nearer.

Where a tumble is taken the individual who escapes injury rights himself, or herself, and laughs it off, although they wondered why they were not more sure-footed.

The youngsters with sleds have been taking full advantage of the condition and groups of boys—and girls, too—are to be seen on places where there is suitable opportunity for coasting. The practice of former years of them having ropes on their sleds and "hooking on" to passing cars that reach stop signs, or light, is not as pronounced this year and this safety precaution has been highly pleasing to traffic officials and others as well as to parents who have cautioned the daring ones that under some impulses take chances that really are dangerous.—W.A.

• **Side Glances**




"Look at all these wedding gifts! Do our friends think I'm getting married or taking a lifetime job as cook?"

# MORE PRECIOUS THAN RUBIES



**By Nina Wilcox Putnam**

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**THE STORY: Alma Conroy, jewelry designer, has learned that her husband, entrusted with money by the firm where both are employed, has lost or spent $300 of this money while on a spree. In order to replace it, Alma takes some discarded jewels of her own to a gold-buying firm, but upon her arrival, she finds the proprietor murdered.**

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INSTINCTIVELY Alma let out a smothered scream which was lost in the thunderous music which was still pouring from the radio. Then she called out wildly.

"Help! Help!"

There was, apparently, no one near enough to hear her, and with a super-effort she fought down her rising panic. She must not yell, like that, she must keep her head—do something!

Where were all the people who belonged in the outer office? Would they never come back? Struggling against the shock and the nightmarish feeling of unreality she tried to think clearly. What ought she to do? Find some other office on the floor and tell what had happened? Ring for the elevator man, call the police? That was it, of course!

The right thing to do was to call the police! But if she did she ought to stay there—right where she was with that—that thing lying on the floor!

Besides if she called the police, she would be questioned. The box of old trinkets she carried would be examined, her need for selling them pried into. Her name would come out in the newspapers—Tommy's name too. And Trumbull's.

That was almost the worst aspect of the whole wretched situation: The House might be involved, for this dead man, who looked as if he must be important, possibly the very person who had dealt with The House in years past, would be connected with that fact, and the whole revolting publicity would come about because she, Alma Conroy, had come to sell jewelry because her husband who also worked at Trumbull's was in trouble!

It was a grim picture, but what was she to do except her obvious duty? Could she telephone the police anonymously?

For a long moment she stood looking at the telephone her heart beating wildly with fear and doubt. Then, just as she was about to take the phone out of its cradle, a bright object in a far corner of the room caught her eye. Something small and gleaming.

Even at that distance its shape was instantly familiar. She went cold all over and her hand froze in mid-air over the telephone. The few steps which it took to cross the office felt leaden and endless. She picked the thing up, seeing it through a sickening fog of terror. But she had not been mistaken. It was one of the gold and moonstone cuff-links she had made for Tommy and which had been missing from the shoe-box that morning.

How had it got here? Even while she asked herself the question she remembered a sickening fact. That morning Tommy had put on a shirt which required links!

Suddenly everything in the picture was changed. With her old, unbreakable instinct to protect Tommy, Alma slipped the cuff-link into her purse and, galvanized into action, made for the door. Now it was impossible to telephone the police, anonymously or otherwise. She must get away and get away fast. Nobody must know that she'd been in the place, and she must leave without being seen if possible.

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THE corridor outside was still empty and she walked through it swiftly, but with as much composure as she could muster, the radio blaring after her.

At the far end of the hall she found a stairway and ran down three flights. Then, after leaning against the wall of the stair-well while she caught her breath she forced herself to walk quietly to a different elevator from the one she had come up in, and pressed the down signal. A few moments later she was mingling with the crowds on the sunny street.

Alma walked rapidly for several blocks without the faintest idea of where she was going or what she was going to do. The shoe-box was still clutched tightly under one arm, while inside her purse the tell-tale cuff-link seemed to burn: she felt as though it must, in some mysterious manner, show through the thick folds of the leather. For the moment the urgent necessity for raising money for Tommy was completely wiped out of her mind by the storm of doubt and suspicion which her adventure had aroused.

What had Tommy been doing in the Mammoth Company's offices? Surely, surely he could not have been alone! He couldn't have done this thing—he couldn't! But he was involved. People who were mixed up in murders were—accessories, yes, that was the word.

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EVEN at its worst the situation seemed utterly inexplicable. Why on earth should Tommy wish to kill Mr. Wheeler? He didn't even know the man so far as she was aware. Why should Tommy have gone there at all? The price he might have got for those cuff-links would have been a mere fraction of the sum he needed.

No, he would hardly have gone there to sell them, especially in view of her promise to get the money. It wasn't like Tommy to exert himself when he could get someone else to do a job for him.

All at once, the false strength which had carried Alma Conroy this far, began to fail her. She couldn't think clearly and she had to have help and advice. Turning to Papa Victor Blanchard was out of the question. The shock would kill him.

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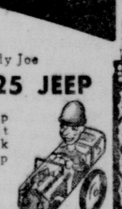
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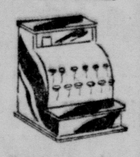
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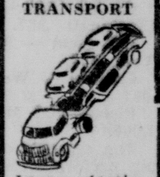
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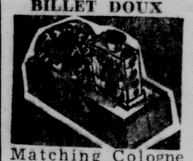
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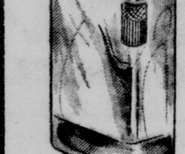
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# Sports



## Dynamos Halt Winning Ways Of Houstonia

Paced by the fine play of big Dean Edwards and Vernon Harvey, the Missouri Pacific Dynamos put an end to the winning ways of the Houstonia American Legion's basketball team Wednesday night with a 65-60 victory. Houstonia was unbeaten until last night.

It was Edwards' rebounding and scoring and Harvey's defensive play and scoring that enabled the Sedalians to win. Edwards hit for 20 points and Harvey counted 13—two of his points coming in the final seconds to ice the contest.

Houstonia's center, Gregory, took scoring honors for the game with 28 tallies.

| DYNAMOS | FG | FT | F | TP |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Burford | 4 | 0 | 4 | 8 |
| Fowler | 3 | 0 | 1 | 6 |
| Edwards | 9 | 2 | 4 | 20 |
| Norman | 6 | 2 | 1 | 14 |
| Harvey | 5 | 3 | 2 | 13 |
| Zink | 2 | 0 | 3 | 4 |
| Totals | 29 | 7 | 20 | 65 |
| HOUSTONIA | FG | FT | F | TP |
| Charles | 4 | 0 | 1 | 8 |
| Kreissel | 2 | 3 | 2 | 7 |
| Gregory | 13 | 2 | 1 | 28 |
| Rissler | 3 | 2 | 5 | 8 |
| Reed | 1 | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| Hayes | 1 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Rhinehart | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 |
| Totals | 25 | 10 | 10 | 60 |

## Many Ex-Stars To Play Friday For Alumni Squad

Smith-Cotton high school's alumni basketball forces will clash with the varsity Tigers of 1951-52 Friday night without the benefit of a practice session.

However, with the material that the alumni has on their roster they probably won't need a practice to give the Bengals a rough go. Such fine performers as George Thompson, Bill Holst, Larry Vilmer, Ralph Walker, Bill McCrary and Bones Morgan have indicated they would play.

Holst is now playing for the University of Missouri and several other players have been playing at other colleges.

The alumni squad will also have several top independent cagers that are still in plenty good condition to give the "youngsters" a good run.

According to Bill "Gabby" McCrary, any former Smith-Cotton cagers are welcome to play. Everyone who dresses out will see action.

Coach Howard Glavin has been working the Tigers for the game the past week. What he has in store for the ex-Bengals is a well hidden secret, but he reportedly has some court tricks ready for the "oldtimers."

The game will start at 8 p.m. Friday. An admission of 25 cents for grade school students and 50 cents for adults will be charged. Proceeds will go to the curtain fund.

## US Team Pleased With Appointment Of Cup Referee

SYDNEY, Australia, Dec. 20—(AP)—America's Davis Cuppers feel they got an extremely good break when Cliff Sproule was appointed official referee for the challenge round against Australia here Dec. 26-28.

They don't think they will receive any special favors from Sproule, but they know he'll bend over backward to see that they get at least an even break in every particular.

Sproule was in charge of the Aussie cup team which played in America in 1949 and he made a wealth of friendships on that visit. As referee he will have the final say on all officials who will work the challenge round and he's choosing them with extreme care, both as to their efficiency and their capacity for avoiding such unpleasant incidents as have marred some international matches of the past.

It was after talking to Sproule that U. S. captain, Frank Shields, as a goodwill gesture, started Vic Seixas serving from a full foot behind the line to avoid any possibility of footfaulting. Sproule is known to be broadminded about permitting players to wear spiked shoes if the courts are at all slippery, either from rain or extreme heat. The latter condition is likely to prevail as Sydney and all New South Wales have been wrapped in one of the most severe droughts in years.

## US Cup Chances Depend on Play Of Ted Schroeder

SYDNEY, Australia, Dec. 20—(AP)—America's chances of winning the Davis tennis cup back from Australia next week revolve about the play of the game's most controversial figure, Ted Schroeder.

The consensus is that if the veteran is at the peak of his amazing comeback, he can defeat Frank Sedgman in their singles duel and the trophy will be back on its way across the Pacific.

Even a month ago such a situation would have been considered fantastic. There was sharp criticism of the American selectors for bringing 30-year-old Ted out of semi-retirement. If they hadn't brought him along the odds against the Americans now would be something like 2 to 1 instead of the even money generally being quoted.

Schroeder is one member of the U.S. team the Australians are genuinely afraid of. If the issue should go down to fifth and final match between Ted and either Sedgman or Ken McGregor, they would have little confidence of winning it.

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## John Riddle to Coach For Cardinals in '52

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 20—(AP)— St. Louis Cardinal owner Fred Saigh yesterday announced the signing of John Riddle as the second member of Manager Eddie Stanky's coaching staff.

Riddle joins Card veteran Terry Moore on the Stanky-picked staff. Both signed one-year contracts.

Clyde (Buzzy) Wares and Mike Ryba, Cardinal coaches last season, have not yet been re-signed.

Riddle, veteran of 24 years in baseball, was a catcher with five major league teams and coached for the Pittsburgh Pirates from 1948 through 1950. He was out of baseball last season.

## Washington Downs Bills, May Top Poll

NEW YORK, Dec. 20—(AP)—The University of Washington Huskies, Pacific Coast conference champions, have a golden opportunity to become the No. 1 college basketball team in the nation.

Their chances of gaining the top rung in the Associated Press poll depend on what they do against Minnesota at Minneapolis tomorrow and Saturday.

**Currently Ranked Eighth**

Currently ranked No. 8, the Huskies opened their midwest invasion last night by bowling over fourth-ranked St. Louis, 58-53. It was their sixth straight victory after a season-opening 62-61 defeat by Utah, a setback the Huskies avenged the next night, 60-44.

If the Huskies whip Minnesota, conquerors of Kentucky, No. 2, a team which in turn walloped the currently top ranked St. Johns of Brooklyn quintet, the PCC outfit would be certain to gain prestige.

Two big fellows, 6-7 Bob Houbregs and 6-8 Doug McClary, made the difference for the Huskies against St. Louis. They scored 31 points between them as well as controlling the backboards. St. Louis led, 24-21, at the half time, but the Huskies moved ahead midway of the second half at 39-38 and stayed ahead the rest of the way.

**Penn Bumps Pitt, 66-52**

Unbeaten Pennsylvania, touted as the team to watch in the Ivy circuit, likewise opened a midwest tour by edging Pitt, 66-52 at Pittsburgh, with a rally in the last three minutes. Penn plays tonight at Michigan and Saturday at Notre Dame.

Oklahoma A&M, beaten Tuesday night by Southern California, turned the tables on the Trojans by winning, 58-47, in the first half of a doubleheader at Tulsa. In the second game Tulsa whipped Missouri, 60-53.

In a twin bill at Dallas, Texas Christian beat Texas Tech, 68-48, and Southern Methodist took Nebraska, 61-55, as SMU's Derrell Murphy flipped in 21 points.

## BOWLING Scores

| Team Standings | Won | Lost | Pct. |
|---|---|---|---|
| Adco, Inc. | 32 | 16 | .667 |
| Acme Cleaners | 28 | 20 | .583 |
| Connor-Wagoner | 27 | 21 | .563 |
| Opti-Mrs. | 24 | 24 | .500 |
| Burtons | 18 | 30 | .375 |
| Falstaff Dist. Co. | 15 | 33 | .313 |

**High Totals**

High team single game: Adco, Inc., 867 pins.

High team series: Opti-Mrs., 2534 pins.

High individual game: McMullin, 197 pins.

Second high individual game: A. A. Ringen, 180 pins.

High individual series: McMullin, 475 pins.

Second high individual series: A. A. Ringen, 458 pins.

| Connor-Wagoner (Won 1) | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Oswald | 150 | 145 | 127 | 422 |
| Wimer | 112 | 87 | 108 | 307 |
| Ehlers | 105 | 79 | 88 | 272 |
| Faust | 105 | 80 | 109 | 294 |
| J. Mosier | 153 | 168 | 107 | 428 |
| Handicap | 236 | 236 | 236 | 708 |
| Totals | 861 | 795 | 775 | 2431 |
| **Acme Cleaners (Won 2)** | | | | |
| McMullin | 126 | 197 | 152 | 475 |
| Miller | 163 | 100 | 108 | 371 |
| Davis | 124 | 127 | 147 | 398 |
| Studer | 119 | 111 | 85 | 315 |
| E. Mosier | 125 | 127 | 127 | 379 |
| Handicap | 170 | 170 | 170 | 510 |
| Totals | 826 | 832 | 789 | 2447 |
| **Burtons (Won 0)** | | | | |
| Morgan | 130 | 130 | 130 | 390 |
| Crabtree | 125 | 119 | 170 | 414 |
| Sterling | 99 | 78 | 99 | 276 |
| Schultz | 113 | 83 | 107 | 303 |
| Pabst | 119 | 129 | 111 | 359 |
| Handicap | 230 | 230 | 230 | 690 |
| Totals | 816 | 769 | 847 | 2432 |
| **Adco, Inc. (Won 3)** | | | | |
| Whitfield | 133 | 153 | 164 | 450 |
| Morris | 121 | 112 | 118 | 351 |
| Mueller | 129 | 115 | 111 | 355 |
| Lingle | 143 | 129 | 144 | 416 |
| O'Mealy | 148 | 123 | 159 | 430 |
| Handicap | 171 | 171 | 171 | 513 |
| Totals | 845 | 803 | 867 | 2515 |
| **Falstaff Dist. Co. (Won 1)** | | | | |
| Blind | 118 | 118 | 118 | 354 |
| Keller | 143 | 125 | 112 | 380 |
| Blind | 108 | 108 | 108 | 324 |
| Beucke | 122 | 147 | 120 | 389 |
| Anderson | 127 | 131 | 156 | 414 |
| Handicap | 216 | 216 | 216 | 648 |
| Totals | 834 | 845 | 830 | 2509 |
| **Opti-Mrs. (Won 2)** | | | | |
| Ringen | 180 | 136 | 142 | 458 |
| Klein | 114 | 111 | 143 | 368 |
| Trotter | 95 | 83 | 100 | 278 |
| Albertson | 126 | 133 | 148 | 407 |
| Blind | 99 | 99 | 99 | 297 |
| Handicap | 242 | 242 | 242 | 726 |
| Totals | 856 | 804 | 814 | 2534 |

The Friday men's 6:45 league will not bowl this week because of the Town and Country Shoe Co., Christmas party. The alleys will be open during the regular league time for open bowling. Monday and Tuesday leagues will not bowl during the next two weeks because of Christmas and New Years.

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## O'Connor Claims More Cagers From Kentucky Are In Scandal

FRANKFORT, Ky., Dec. 20—(AP)—Assistant District Attorney Vincent O'Connor, enroute to New York today, predicted the names of other Kentucky players involved in basketball fixes will come to light.

His six day investigation up against a blank wall, O'Connor conferred briefly yesterday with Gov. Lawrence Wetherby before departing. Afterwards, he said:

**Know Others Are Involved**

"I want to state most emphatically that our departure does not mean we are dropping — or even considering dropping — our investigation of Kentucky players we definitely know are involved in the fixes."

Nowhere in his remarks did O'Connor indicate whether the players involved are present or former members of the Wildcat squad.

At Lexington, President H. L. Donovan hastened to assure the public the university has not played and shall not play any boy "about whom we have any ground for believing . . . has participated in any 'fix'."

In a prepared statement, Dr. Donovan expressed thanks to O'Connor and his staff for their help and cooperation in "our effort to clear up the scandal in which the University of Kentucky players have been implicated.

O'Connor, who was invited to Kentucky by Governor Wetherby said after their conference:

"The identities of these (U.K.) players and the games they fixed will become publicly known at trials of others. He added the players can escape prosecution because the fixing was not done in New York.

Praising Wetherby and the University for its aid, O'Connor said they wanted to help bring to "justice a number of vicious fixers" in addition to those who have been indicted for "corrupting" three former Wildcats — Alex Groza, Dale Barnstable and Ralph Beard. All three have admitted accepting bribes to regulate the point spread in basketball games.

O'Connor said his attempts to remove clouds of suspicion from innocent players were thwarted by the refusal of others to talk.

**Won't Talk Without Counsel**

During the assistant district attorney's investigation, two Lexington attorneys — John Young Brown and Elmer Drake — announced they had been retained as counsel for certain players and would not permit them to be questioned except in the presence of counsel.

Since Kentucky has no sports bribery law, the attorneys argued the players have not broken any law and that O'Connor did not have warrants for their arrest.

O'Connor said he is concentrating on Kentucky games played during the 1949-50 and 1950-51 seasons.

National League Fielding—

## *Robinson Sets Fielding Mark, Marshall Goes Without Error*

NEW YORK, Dec. 20—(AP)—Who is the better fielding first baseman? Gil Hodges of Brooklyn or Ted Kluszewski of Cincinnati.

Prepare for a surprise. According to National fielding averages, Kluszewski, the big lumbering Reds' strong boy was the top defensive first sacker in the loop. Kluszewski had a fielding percentage of .997, five points better than Hodges' .992.

**Hodges a Fancy Dan**

They say figures never lie, but a lot of fans would be willing to wager that the averages are all wet. Kluszewski never was renowned for his dexterity with a glove while Hodges is considered a fancy Dan around the bag. The Hodge's rooters can point out that although Kluszweski made more putouts and committed only five errors of Gil's 12, the Dodger star topped Ten in assists, 126 to 88 and participated in 56 more double plays.

Here is the best fielding team, according to official figures released yesterday:

**First Base — Ted Kluszewski, Cincinnati .997.**

**Second Base—Jackie Robinson, Brooklyn .992.**

**Third base—Billy Johnson, St. Louis .976.**

**Shortstop—Virgil Stallcup, Cincinnati .969.**

**Right field—Willard Marshall, Boston 1.000.**

**Center field—Lloyd Merriman, Cincinnati .997.**

**Left field — Monte Irvin, New York .996.**

**Catcher — Wes Westrum, New .987.**

**Picher—Sal Maglie, New York 1.000.**

The season's outstanding fielding performances were turned in by Robinson, Marshall and Richie Ashburn, the swift centerfielder of the Philadelphia Phillies.

**Robinson Breaks Record**

Robinson shattered a league fielding mark for second basemen, posting a spectacular .992 percentage in 150 games. The 32-year-old Dodger star committed a low of only seven miscues while accepting 832 chances. The old record of .987 was set by Al (Red) Schoendienst of the Cardinals, who oddly enough also bettered that figure last season with a .990 mark.

Marshall became only the second major leaguer ever to play through an entire season without a single error. The Braves' right fielder accepted 231 chances in 136 games, somewhat below the flawless 317 chances in 151 games accepted by Danny Lithwiler of the 1952 Phillies.

**New Double Play Record**

Robinson and Hodges broke their own league double play records. Robby took part in 137 twin killings, besting his own mark by four. Hodges participated in 171 double plays, a dozen more than he took part in 1950.

Ashburn ranked only sixth among the flychasers but he outranked all his rivals in total chances accepted. As a matter of fact, it was no contest. The towheaded Philly speed merchant took care of 560 chances. Brooklyn's Duke Snider, with 399 chances, was his closest rival.

**Cards Top Club Fielding**

The Cards led in club fielding with a mark of .989. Brooklyn participated in the most double plays, 192. Pittsburgh tied a record by leaving 18 men on bases in the game of June 5 against the Braves. The league established a double play mark of 1,337, replacing the old record of 1,318 set in 1930.

## *College Basketball*

By The Associated Press

**Midwest**

Tulsa 60, Missouri 53.

Oklahoma A. and M. 58, Southern California 47.

Washington 58c, St. Louis 53.

Pittsburg (Kas) 52, Central (Mo) 46.

Southeast Missouri 80, Missouri Valley 56.

Washburn 73, Peru (Nebr)62.

Mankato 68, Emporia (Kas) 66.

Baker (Kas) 64, William Jewell 59.

Washington (St. Louis) 67, Centenary 51.

Northeastern Oklahoma 62, Eastern New Mexico 54.

St. Benedict's (Kas) 54, Nebraska Wesleyan 42.

East Central (Okla) 71, Bethel (Kas) 65.

?Phillips University 66, Hastings 59.

**Southwest**

Southern Methodist 61, Nebraska 53.

North Texas 57, Southeastern Oklahoma 46.

Arkansas Tech 52, Arkansas State 50.

**Far West**

Wichita 74, San Diego State 59.

## Boy Gets $333,000 Damages from City For Dive from Pier

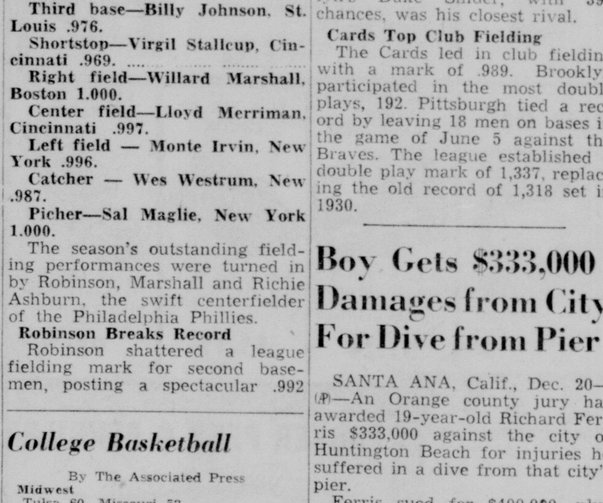
SANTA ANA, Calif., Dec. 20—(AP)—An Orange county jury has awarded 19-year-old Richard Ferris $333,000 against the city of Huntington Beach for injuries he suffered in a dive from that city's pier.

Ferris sued for $400,000, plus medical and hospital expenses. He dived from the pier into shallow water Sept. 10, 1950, and suffered a broken neck and severed spine.

The jury also awarded his mother, Mrs. Madelene Ferris Madson of nearby Rosemead, $25,000 for expenses in caring for him until he is 21.

Huntington Beach city officials maintained the youth dived into the ocean despite three warnings from a lifeguard and in defiance of an ordinance prohibiting diving without express permission of the lifeguard on duty unless the chief lifeguard is present.

Ferris claimed the city was negligent in permitting diving at the pier under any conditions.




## Hubbard Faces Lincoln Tonight In Home Opener

Thursday night the Hubbard basketball team will play host to Lincoln High of Jefferson City.

In their last engagement at Jefferson City the Tigers were outclassed by Lincoln's last quarter spree.

Since that game the Tigers have shown considerable improvement defensively, where most of their weakness was detected.

The Sedalians will be after their first victory of this cage season.

In the preliminary the junior squad under the coaching of Ralph E. Lee will face the junior team of Lincoln high. The first game will start at 7 p.m.

The public is cordially invited to attend this first home game of the Hubard Tigers.

## Knob Noster Bows To La Monte Five In 53-52 Contest

The La Monte Vikings took some of the sting from an earlier loss this season to Knob Noster Wednesday night when they handed the Knibs a 53-52 defeat in a game played at La Monte.

Earlier in the season the Vikings suffered a close loss to the Johnson county five in the finals of the CMSC tournament at Warrensburg.

La Monte's huge center, Jackson, was the big gun in the winners' attack with 19 points. Jack Barnes got 11, Sparks and Reavis ten each to round out high scorers for the Vikings.

Shidmore and Teterman with 14 and 13 points respectively were top scorers for the losers.

At the end of the first period La Monte held a 10-9 lead and increased it to 27-21 at intermission. The teams battled to even terms in the third canto with the Vikings still holding a six-point advantage, 40-34. In the final go Knob Noster rallied to narrow the Vikings' margin to one point but couldn't manage another counter.

In the B team game, Knob Noster took a 24-22 triumph. Hall led La Monte with nine points while four Knob Noster players hit for four points.

| LA MONTE | FG | FT | F | TP |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Rice | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Barnes | 5 | 1 | 4 | 11 |
| Jackson | 5 | 9 | 5 | 19 |
| G. McKeehan | 0 | 0 | 4 | 0 |
| Sparks | 3 | 4 | 5 | 10 |
| Reavis | 4 | 3 | 2 | 10 |
| J. McKeehan | 0 | 0 | 3 | 1 |
| Totals | 18 | 17 | 26 | 53 |
| KNOB NOSTER | FG | FT | F | TP |
| Wharton | 2 | 3 | 4 | 7 |
| Peterman | 5 | 3 | 2 | 13 |
| Shidmore | 4 | 6 | 4 | 14 |
| Logsdon | 1 | 0 | 3 | 2 |
| Richson | 3 | 1 | 0 | 7 |
| Gift | 0 | 2 | 3 | 2 |
| Benz | 1 | 3 | 5 | 5 |
| Moore | 0 | 2 | 3 | 2 |
| Totals | 16 | 20 | 26 | 52 |

## *Sporting Notes About Sedalia*

Versailles' high school Tigers again have a good cage team. Coached by Pete Curl, the Tigers have scored eight victories in ten outings. The only losses were to the Jefferson City Jays and Eldon.

In all games, Versailles has scored 547 points compared with 422 for opponents. Tom Waddell is the Tigers' high scorer with 204 points in ten games. We can't think of a player in this area that can top that figure.

Waddell has hit an amazing 46 per cent of his shots from the field and 56 per cent from the free throw line. In all, the team has a field goal average of nearly 40 per cent.

The Jefferson City Jays, considered a title threat in the Central Missouri Conference, are having troubles now. In a non-leep tilt against Camdenton they took their biggest beating of the year, a 57-37 game.

The Jays reportedly displayed their worst brand of basketball this season in falling to a hot-shooting Camdenton five.

MMA leads the CMC with a 3-0 record. Here's how the CMC stands:

| Standings | W. | L. | Pts. | Opp. |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| MMA | 3 | 0 | 121 | 107 |
| Hannibal | 1 | 1 | 88 | 71 |
| Columbia | 1 | 1 | 73 | 67 |
| Jeff City | 1 | 1 | 68 | 67 |
| Sedalia | 1 | 2 | 121 | 141 |
| Kemper | 0 | 2 | 85 | 103 |

**Games last week:**

MMA 44, Hannibal 43.
Jeff City 35, Columbia 33.
Sedalia 63, Kemper 53.
Columbia 41, Fulton 39.
Jeff City 52, Versailles 40.
Boonville 54, Kemper 33.
Sedalia 44, Marshall 40.

Coach Jim Ball's Springfield Senior high school Bulldogs lost their first game of the season Tuesday night to Fayetteville, Ark., by a 38-35 score. The 'Dogs have won five.

## Clyde Thompson Paces Moose Win Over Stover Five

The Sedalia Moose club basketballers scored another victory Wednesday night by defeating the Stover Independents 46-42 in a game played at Stover. The Sedalians led throughout the contest.

Clyde Thompson was the scoring spark for the locals with 14 points on seven fielders. Don Brown was second high with 11 points. For Stover, Martin hit 16 tallies and Case tallied 13 to take scoring honors.

| MOOSE | FG | FT | F | TP |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Michaelis | 2 | 1 | 4 | 5 |
| Brown | 5 | 1 | 1 | 11 |
| Pope | 3 | 3 | 4 | 9 |
| G. Thompson | 2 | 1 | 5 | 5 |
| Clyde Thompson | 7 | 0 | 3 | 14 |
| C. Thompson | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Caldwell | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Totals | 20 | 6 | 18 | 46 |
| STOVER | FG | FT | F | TP |
| Martin | 7 | 2 | 2 | 16 |
| Case | 6 | 1 | 1 | 13 |
| Harrell | 2 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Brower | 1 | 0 | 1 | 2 |
| Monsees | 0 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Moelbmar | 0 | 1 | 2 | 1 |
| Englebrich | 1 | 0 | 4 | 2 |
| Blackman | 1 | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Totals | 18 | 6 | 14 | 42 |

## Bears Wallop Vikings In Ozark Tournament For Semi-Finals Spot

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Dec. 20—(AP)—The semi-finals of the Heart of the Ozarks Intercollegiate basketball tournament will have this lineup tonight:

Southwest Missouri State vs St. Benedict's of Atchison, Kas., and Phillips University of Enid, Okla., vs Northeastern Oklahoma of Tahlequam.

In consolation games this afternoon Eastern New Mexico will play Hastings (Neb.) college, and Nebraska Wesleyan meets Missouri Valley college.

First round games last night saw Southwest Missouri defeat Missouri Valley 80-56, while Phillips downed Hastings 66-59, St Benedict's beat Nebraska Wesleyan 54-42, and Northeastern Oklahoma defeated Eastern New Mexico 62-54.

**Washington U. Bears Defeat Centenary In Offense Display**

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 20—(AP)—Washington university clicked along at its best offensive pace of the season last night to romp past Centenary college of Shreveport, La., 67-51.

Forward Charley Cain led the Bear cagers in the scoring with 19 points, while forward Duncan Hansen tallied 17. Guard Bob Wright of the Gents finished with an 18-point total.

## Illinois To Work On Pass Defense In Double Drill

PASADENA, Calif., Dec. 20—(AP)—Illinois scheduled another double workout today, with emphasis to be placed on pass defense in expectation of the aerial assault which Stanford may provide in the Rose Bowl Jan. 1.

Coach Ray Eliot, as might be expected, has featured his top passing combination on offense, quarterback Tommy O'Connell and right end Rex Smith.

Tabbed as the main defensive unit against the air game are halfbacks Herb Neatherly and Star Wallace and safety man Al Brosky, who made at least one interception in every game this season.

Eliot has a thick file of scouts' reports on Stanford's best pass duo, quarterback Gary Kerkorian and end Bill McColl.

Kerkorian, McColl and the rest of the Indians continue to practice at Palo Alto. They will assemble in Southern California Dec. 26.

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# Sedalia Chapter O. E. S. Installs New Officers

At a special meeting at the Masonic temple, December 15, the officers of the Sedalia chapter, No. 57, Order of the Eastern Star, for the year 1952, were installed.

The installing officers were: Mrs. Ora Gardner, worthy grand matron; Russell Wilcox, worthy grand patron; Mrs. Leland Coontz, installing grand chaplain; Mrs. William Reed, installing grand marshal and Mrs. Nellie Monegan, installing grand organist.

The following officers were installed: Mrs. Dick Eckhoff, worthy matron; Donald Donath, worthy patron; Mrs. Elizabeth Janes, associate matron; Elmer Maune, associate patron; Mrs. Irene Aulgur, secretary; Mrs. Elizabeth Bendure, treasurer; Mrs. Genevieve Maune, associate conductress; Mrs. Pearl Herrick, chaplain; Miss Doris Mae Stott, marshal; Mrs. Nellie Monegan, organist; Miss Mary Frances Burlingame, Adah; Miss Anne Brown, Ruth; Mrs. Carl Urban, Esther; Mrs. Lloyd Satterwhite, Martha; Mrs. Margaret Morgan, Electa; Mrs. Lloyd Kennon, warden and Lloyd Satterwhite, sentinel.

The decorations and ceremonies carried out the theme of the worthy grand matron's "Shoe of Friendship." Large silver shoes, filled with pink carnations were used in the East and behind each star point chair.

An impressive Bible ceremony was given by Mrs. Frank Coffman, associate grand conductress, assisted by members of Job's Daughters, Bethel No. 15. The lights were lowered as the Job's Daughters entered the chapter room dressed in white satin robes, each carrying an open white Bible. They formed a cross around the altar as Mrs. Coffman entered, also wearing a white robe and carrying the altar Bible, as Mrs. Alta Reed sang: "I Walked Today Where Jesus Walked." Mrs. Coffman walked around the cross to the altar. When the Bible was placed on the altar the Job's Daughters knelt in the cross formation with Mrs. Coffman as she gave an appropriate prayer.

The flag of the United States of America was presented formally by Joe R. Smetana with Dean Binderup and Frank Coffman as escorts. After the pledge of allegiance to the flag Mr. Binderup sang: 'It's a Grand Old Flag."

After the regular installation the new star points were presented carnations, colonial bouquets the color of their station by Mrs. William Reed, district deputy grand matron of the 36th district, in an appropriate ceremony.

The new worthy matron, Mrs. Eckhoff and the worthy patron, Donald Donath were escorted to the altar as their officers formed a friendship circle around them. Friendship verses were given by Miss Doris Mae Stott and Mrs. Alta Reed sang appropriate words to the tune of "O, Promise Me."

The officers then formed an aisle as the worthy matron and worthy patron were escorted to the East. Mrs. Pearl Herrick gave the closing verses and presented the gift to the worthy matron from the chapter when the worthy matron and worthy patron were installed, they each were presented gifts of flowers by the worthy matron's daughter, Sally Eckhoff and the worthy patron's nephew, Jimmie Donath. The worthy matron being escorted to the East by her husband, Dick Eckhoff and the worthy patron by his wife, Mrs. Edith Donath.

Lee Peabody presented the jewels to the retiring worthy matron and worthy patron, Mrs. Lynn Russell and Paul Shoemaker.

Following the installation a reception was held in the dining room. The coffee table was decorated with an arrangement of pink carnations and silvered holly leaves.

Distinguished guests present were Mrs. Ora Gardner, worthy grand matron of Liberty; Russell Wilcox, worthy grand patron of Springfield; Dr. A. J. Campbell, past grand patron; Miss Kathryn Spangler, past grand matron; Mrs. Frank Coffman, associate grand conductress; Mrs. William Reed, district deputy grand matron of the 36th district, all of Sedalia and Mrs. Louise Wilcox, grand representative to Montana, Springfield.

## Expect Ike Will Stop His Name On Demo Ballot

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20—(AP)—Republican friends here expect Gen. Dwight D. Eisenhower to repudiate efforts to put his name on the Democratic ticket in the March 11 New Hampshire presidential primary.

At the same time, they believe the general will not react either affirmatively or negatively to a petition Gov. Sherman Adams has said will be filed to list him on the Republican ballot in the same primary. A Democratic Eisenhower petition also is expected to be filed.

Under New Hampshire law, a prospective candidate is given 10 days after the filing of a petition in which he may ask that his name be withdrawn. If he does not make such a request, it is placed on the ballot. New Hampshire holds the first presidential primary next year.

Republican Eisenhower - for - president leaders said they believe the general simply will notify New Hampshire officials that he is not a member of the Democratic party and does not want to run on its ticket.

**Lengthy Coastline**

Alaska has a longer general coastline than the three coastlines of continental United States put together. Alaska's coastline measures about 6640 miles; the combined Atlantic, Gulf, and Pacific littorals of the U. S. come to about 4940 miles.



**PRESSURE IS ON FOR SCRAP**—One minute it's the body of an ancient auto, salvaged from a junkyard. The next, it's a square block of almost solid metal, weighing about 400 pounds and easily manageable for loading onto a railroad car. The two pictures above show the before and after stages of scrap metal being given the pressure treatment—about 2500 pounds on each side—and put into shape for shipment to a steel plant from a scrap yard in Newark, N. J. The government hopes to reclaim about 1,500,000 tons of scrap for steel production through the winter from the nation's auto "graveyards."

## Bride Learns Her First Mate, Reported Dead, On POW List

ATLANTA, Dec. 20—(AP)—The prisoner of war list which brought joy to many homes across the nation left one young bride in a state of tearful confusion today.

Twenty - two - year - old Agnes Sasser was reading the POW list yetserday when her eyes fell on her first husband, Pfc. Walter S. Dixon.

Dixon had been reported killed in Korea in May, 1951. In September, Agnes married Pfc. William C. Sasser at Fort McPherson, near Atlanta.

Then yesterday, word of her first husband . . . .

The first thing Mrs. Sasser did after spotting the name was call her present husband, Bill, who was so stunned he couldn't say anything.

Later, walking up and down and wringing her hands, Mrs. Sasser told reporters, "I just don't know what to do. I havent' been able to think it through. You have no idea how I feel. I just can't believe Walter's still alive."

Mrs. Sasser said she's sure the Dixon carried on the POW list is her first husband because "the serial numbers match."

And yet, "The Defense Department told me Walter was wounded by bomb fragments at the front and died the same day."

Also, she continued, Dixon's $10,000 insurance policy was paid in a lump sum by the government.

The Defense Department says the discrepancy has been sent to Gen. Matthew Ridgway for investigation.

Mrs. Sasser, originally of Cullman, Ala., married Dixon at Conley, Ga., in April, 1950.

The Sassers left Fort McPherson early today for a two-week vacation at an undisclosed spot in North Carolina.

Before they left she was asked which husband she'll stick by.

"I don't know," she answered. "Bill and I may not even be married. Oh, I just don't know what to do."

## Looking Backward

**TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO**

Henry L. Myers, a former Sedalian, was appointed by Governor John E. Erickson of Montana, an associate justice of the supreme court of that state.

Robert Bruce, accompanied by Walter Harkins, of the Missouri Pacific, left for Lee's Summit to survey a location for an underpass crossing on U.S. Highway 50.

Cullen Cain, a native of Warsaw, and a one time a compositor of the Sedalia Democrat, who has been assistant to the manager of the National Baseball league, recently signed to continue in that position for another three years at a salary increase.

**FORTY YEARS AGO**

J. L. Babcock and H. V. Leist returned from a few days spent in the Spring Fork vicinity hunting.

President S. E. Spencer of the Sedalia Booster club was in St. Louis on a business visit.

Earl Castle, who had been touring on a vaudeville circuit, was here for the holidays and appeared at the Lyric theatre in a musical specialty.

William McElroy, employed at the M. K. & T. passenger station, is taking a vacation through the holiday season and will visit Big Springs, Tex.

## Nevada Farmer Dies Of Tractor Injuries

NEVADA, Mo., Dec. 20—(AP)—Edward G. Fowler, 70, died last night of injuries suffered Tuesday in a tractor accident at his farm north of Sheldon.

A rear wheel of the tractor passed over the left side of his chest. He is believed to have slipped from the seat of the machine as it was backed up.

Fowler, brought to a Nevada hospital, was unable to tell how the accident occurred.

**Surplus Men in Australia**

SYDNEY, Australia—(AP)—Australia's population has passed the 8½ million mark.

There are more men than women in every state except South Australia. Males outnumber females by 78,000 throughout the Commonwealth.

Unofficial estimates place the population at the end of last month at 8,530,000. Ten years ago Australia's population was 7,137,000.

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## Shorter Acquitted Of Murder by Jury In Tuscumbia

TUSCUMBIA, Mo., Dec. 20—(AP)—Dean Shorter, 57, was acquitted of murder in circuit court here yesterday by reason of temporary insanity.

The all male jury found that Shorter was not sane last Aug. 14 when he bludgeoned D. William Brockman to death. The 59-year-old Eldon, Mo., dentist allegedly had an affair with Shorter's wife which lasted for six years.

The jury said it believed Shorter now is "completely and permanently recovered" from the insanity.

Shorter testified he went to the dentist's home to see if he couldn't clear up the affair between his wife and Brockman. Brockman threatened him with a shotgun, Shorter testified, and he in turn beat the dentist with his fists.

Mrs. Shorter, 45, said she had been friendly with Brockman since 1945, that the dentist gave her liquor and narcotics.

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## Will Open No-Man's-Land For Christmas at Bethlehem

BETHLEHEM, Dec. 20—(AP)—The barbed-wire of no-man's-land will be opened to let 2,000 Christians living in Israel worship at Christmas day services in this Arab-occupied village where Christ was born.

The announcement came today from the foreign ministry of Moslem Jordan, whose troops occupy Bethlehem and the old city of Jerusalem as a result of the Palestine war of 1948 between Jews and Arabs. They are still technically at war under armistice.

The 2,000 pilgrims will be in addition to diplomatic and consular corps personnel who can cross the line at any time.

Foreigners in Israeli-controlled territory also are allowed in the Arab-occupied part of Jerusalem and Bethlehem with Jordan visas but are not allowed to return through Israel once they have crossed the Arab border. No figure was available on the number of foreign visitors expected to pass through.

The foreign ministry said Israel will submit a list of 2,000 pilgrims for the approval of Jordan authorities, who will greet them at Mandelbaum gate into Jerusalem Christmas Eve.

Each visitor from Israel will be permitted to bring three Jordan dinars ($8.40) as pocket money. The foreign ministry said most of the Christians in Israel who are being let in have relatives in Jordan.

The pilgrims will be escorted to the Mandelbaun gate and they must cross the 50-odd yards of barbed wire no-man's-land to the Arab side, and be met by another escort.

The hotel situation is about the same as it was 1951 years ago when Mary and Joseph were turned away to the manger where the Prince of Peace was born.

This year, expected to be the best for the innkeepers since the truce of 1948, found all hotels in Bethlehem, Jerusalem and Amman, the Jordan capital, sold out weeks in advance.


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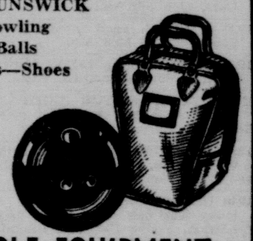
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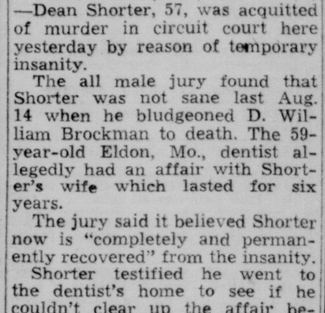
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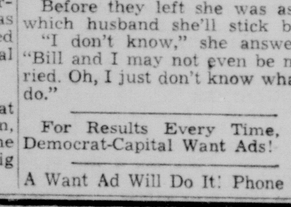
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STRAYED: TWO BIRD DOGS, Setters. Male, white with tan, L. Farris on collar. Female, white and tan, black spotted. Name on collar Samuel S. Potter. Phone 5080-J. Reward.

## II—Automotive

### 11—Automobiles for Sale

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### 17—Wanted Automotive (Continued)

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AUTHORIZED South Wind Heater service. Chamberlain's Service Garage Broadway and Engineer.

CESS POOL and septic tank cleaning. Phone 1106-J or white Esser Brothers, Route 2, Sedalia, Missouri.

BRING YOUR PLOW SHARES and all blacksmith work to Jolly's Welding, 508 West 2nd. Phone 544 or 4781.

WASHER SERVICE: Wringer rolls, parts, belts. We repair all makes. Pickup delivery. Burkholders, 202 Ohio. Phone 114.

DITCH DIGGING—6-10-14 inch width. 12c running foot for 6 and 10 inch. Leon Swope, 217 East 6th. Phone 5607.

ELECTRIC MOTORS REPAIRED, rebuilt, All work guaranteed. Cole's Electric Motor Service, 420 South Osage. Phone 410.

REFRIGERATION SERVICE: Commercial and domestic, factory trained repairmen. Reinhart Sales Company, 1200 South Ohio. Phone 3411.

WASHERS, RADIOS, Vacuum sweepers repaired. All makes. Sales and service. Sedalia Vacuum Company, 114 East Main. Phone 4710.

CUSTOM DIGGING for gas, water, sewer lines and field tileing 8 inch and 14 inch width. For estimates call 5257-M-4. R. R. Harkless, 8 miles South on 65 Highway.

NEW CREOSOTED POLES, 40 foot, for television aerials, complete with steps and ground wire. $75 installed. Fully insured contractors. Phone 2476-J. J. C. Angel, Line Construction.

RUSCO All Metal
Combination storm windows and screens, 36 months to pay. Dean S. Binderup. Phone 2003.

### 18B—For Rent

SANDERS RENTED for floors and edges. Gold Lumber Company, Phone 359.

NEW FLOOR SANDERS, electric floor polishers. Caulking guns. Dugan's, Phone 142.

NEW FLOOR SANDER, polisher for rent day or half day Cook's Paint, 416 South Ohio. Phone 108.

### 19—Building and Contracting

ROOF AND FLUE REPAIR work wanted. Phone 1501.

CARPENTER, PAINTING and repair work. Guy Brownfield Phone 2228.

CARPENTER, CHIMNEY, roof repair, cement work. Phone 4245-J or 5343-M-4

CARPENTER WORK: Building and repairs. Tickameyer and Harding. Phone 3498-M.

JOHNS-MANVILLE INSULATION roofing, siding, approved contractors. 513 South Lamine. Phone 2003.

CARPENTRY and remodeling. Cabinets, storm sash, window frames, made to order. 103 East 28th. Phone 3575.

### 23—Insurance and Surety Bonds

M. F. A. INSURANCE: Same low rates. Gerster, 107 East 2nd, 337.

FARMERS INSURANCE; GROUP, fire and auto. Donald Leiter, Agent. 760.

M. F. A. INSURANCE: Auto, fire, hospitalization. Farm property. Robinson, Phone 4408.

## III—Business Service (Continued)

### 24—Laundering

RUTH ANN'S LAUNDERETTE: 715 West 16th. Phone 3257.

WASHINGS WANTED: 2003 West Broadway. Phone 2543.

PANEL CURTAINS, washed and stretched. Phone 5760-W

WASH CLOTHES cleaner-quicker at Lo-Mart Laundry. 507 South Ohio.

### 25—Moving, Trucking, Storage

STORAGE ROOMS for rent. Johns' Auto Supply.

FOR TRASH and light hauling of all kinds. Phone 257.

SEDALIA MOVING and Transfer. Phone 10. Free estimates all jobs.

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DAN DOTY'S MID-STATE STORAGE and Transfer. Dependable service, storage, packing and crating. Lamine and Missouri Pacific Tracks. Phone 946.

FRANK VAN DYKE, Phone 702. Specialize furniture moving, local, long-distance. P. S. C., I. C. C. permits. Agents for American Red Ball Transit. Pioneer movers anywhere in U. S. Call day or night. Frank Van Dyke, 5150-W-1 or Amos Franklin, 3158-M. Livestock hauling anywhere. Freight. Irregular route.

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INSURED MOVERS
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### 26—Painting, Papering

HANGING AND CLEANING paper, also painting. Phone 722.

PAPER CLEANING, painting, work guaranteed. C. L. Vansell, Phone 3983.

### 29—Repairing and Refinishing

FLOOR SANDING by experienced men. Free estimates. Phone 2928-W.

CHIMNEY WORK, carpenter, painting, concrete and plumbing. J. M. Holloway, 311 West 9th. Phone 5680.

### 30—Tailoring and Pressing

TAILORING, Alterations. Quality workmanship. Ladies, men's. John Theis, 218 Lamine.

## IV—Employment

### 32—Help Wanted—Female

EXPERIENCED WAITRESS wanted. Apply Dan's Restaurant.

WANTED
SODA FOUNTAIN
MANAGER
Young man preferred. Training supervision given. Good salary and bonus. Apply in person to Mr. Bernard
CROWN DRUG STORE
Sedalia

### 33—Help Wanted — Male

SINGLE OR MARRIED MAN to work on farm. Phone 5340-W-1.

SERVICE STATION SALESMAN to work in super service station—one of the finest in Kansas City. Experience not necessary. Must be over 25 years. Top salary and best working conditions. State age and qualifications in your reply. Write Box "143" care Democrat-Capital.

## IV—Employment

### 33—Help Wanted — Male (Continued)

BODY, FENDER AND PAINT MAN: Also familiar with frame work. Established Chevrolet Dealer in Central Illinois. Earnings from $70 to $100 per week. Guaranteed salary and commission. Write Box 144 Democrat.

### 36—Situations Wanted—Female

BABY SITTING WANTED by middle aged lady. Phone 4985-W.

PRACTICAL NURSING WANTED: Experienced. Phone 4985-W.

### 37—Situations Wanted—Male

TREE TRIMMING WANTED: Phone 1633-J or 5053-W.

WANTED HAULING, general, stock and grain. Tree trimming with power machinery. Will buy good alfalfa hay. Phone 5553-R.

## V—Financial

### 38—Business Opportunities

BLACKSMITH SHOP and wood working equipment, with tools and stock. Phone Homer Hall 766.

### 40—Money to Loan—Mortgages

LOANS, free inspection. Insurance. Real Estate. W. D. Smith. 647.

## VII—Live Stock

### 47—Dogs, Cats, Other Pets

ROLLER CANARIES, singers. 1007 South Massachusetts.

BLACK COCKER PUP—4 months old. Phone 5585-W.

PUPPIES: Part Collie. Pat Dunham. Phone 108-W Otterville.

BIRD DOG POINTER, also double barrel shotgun. Phone 3807-W.

CANARIES—Guaranteed singers, reasonable. Also cages. 2105 West 14th.

COCKER SPANIEL PUPPIES: Toby, 17 miles south Sedalia. Highway 65.

AMERICAN BEAGLE DOG, full blooded. Martin Kozina, Green Ridge, Missouri.

POINTER, liver and white, female, partly trained, papers available. Phone 3572-J.

REGISTERED COCKER SPANIEL pups, 3 months old. Priced reasonable. Harold Hartman, Route 1, Sweet Springs, Missouri.

ONE RED BONE FEMALE—registered, 6 years old. Two pups, 8½ months old. Running and treeing. Come try. L. P. Sudduth, 5½ miles south of Smithton.

### 48—Horses, Cattle, Other Stock

FRESH YOUNG COWS: Holstein, Milking Shorthorns, mixed. 1622 South Sneed.

2 FRESH COWS with calves by side, 1 yearling Holstein heifer, 3, six months old heifers. Phone 5118-W-1 after 5 p. m.

### 49—Poultry and Supplies

FRYERS and bakers, 45c pound. Phone 2688.

FRYERS and bakers, 30c pound. Phone 2688.

CHOICE FAT CAPONS, delivered. Phone 4994-W.

YOUNG GEESE, dressed. Will deliver. Phone 5372-R-2.

FRYERS: 3 pounds $1. Leiter, 1501 East 16th. Phone 2051-W.

FRYERS, 40c pound; young hens 35c. 1511 West Main. 5764.

LIVE AND DRESSED FRYERS and hens. 2023 South Grand. 3527.

BATTERY RAISED FRYERS—40c pound. Rogers, 1907 South Quincy.

DRESSED DUCKS, geese, and turkeys. A. J. Whittaus. Phone 5172-J-1.

TURKEYS: Beltsville-White: bronze dressed or alive. Stark, Phone 5378-M-2.

DRESSED WHITE DUCKS, baking hens, broilers. Order before December 23rd. Phone 5194-R-2 or 4112.

PHEASANTS: Chinese Ring Necks, $3.00 each. (Gift Wrapped). Order before December 21st. Phone 5111-J-3.

TRIPLE AAA NEW HAMPSHIRE pullets and cockerels. Blood tested wormed and culled. 1822 South Ingram. Phone 4390.

Blue Ambulance Ph 175 Adv

## VIII—Merchandise

### 51—Articles for Sale

FANCY TEA TOWELS and pillow cases. 408 West 6th.

DRESSER, tuxedo, boy 18 to 20 years. 915 West 4th.

TELEVISION, new, large screen. Priced to sell. Phone 1081.

FEDERAL ENLARGER, good as new, $35. Phone 5246-R-72.

GIRL'S WHITE SHOE ICE SKATES, size 5. $5.00. Phone 2710.

WOOL TOP COAT, leather coat, dresser, electric clippers. Phone 5014.

DIAMOND RING, diamond pin, watch. Furniture, gas stove. Phone 2601-W.

BABY BUGGY, bathinette, car-bed, teter-babe, maternity dresses. Phone 5553.

WASHER WRINGER ROLLS, belts, parts vacuum bags, belts, brushes. Sedalia Vacuum Co. 114 East Main. Phone 4710.

NEW ANTIQUE SHOP, 804 West 16th. The shop to get that unusual Christmas gift. Open 8 a. m. to 9 p. m. and Sundays. We burnish and lacquer brass, copper, silver. We buy. Call 1472 for extra Christmas money.

New Savage Automatic
SHOTGUNS, $98
Remington and Browning Automatics,
Also Remington, Winchester, Ithica, Savage, Marlin Pump, Shotguns and Rifles.
Some good used guns.
We trade.
Hunting Coats, Caps, Hand Warmers.
Everything for the Hunters.
CASH HARDWARE
106 West Main

MEHORNAY'S
123-25 South Ohio
Is now featuring the Grey Walnut "Fashion Trend" bedroom furniture reduced to:
Vanity
Reg. $99.50 ... Sale $77
Bed
Reg. $49.50 ... Sale $39
Chest
Reg. $84.50 ... Sale $68
Double Dresser
Reg. $139.75 .. Sale $98
Night Stands
Reg. $34.50 ea. Sale $25 Each

### 51B—Dead Animals

HIGHEST PRICES PAID for dead stock. Removal in two hours of call. We disinfect where animal was removed, the truck, tires and driver's shoes were disinfected before entering your place. We pay phone calls. Phone 5090 days, (190 nights). Sedalia Rendering Co

### 53—Building Materials

OAK LUMBER: Phone 1999, Duane Furnell.

BLACK DIRT, road and concrete gravel, also cinders. Phone 3006-J.

### 54—Business and Office Equip

MIMEOGRAPH MACHINE, good condition. $35. Phone 1378.

### 57A—Fruits and Vegetables

APPLES: Six different varieties, $1.50 to $2.00 bushel. Main and Park. Phone 1207-R. We deliver. W. M. McCown 8 a. m. to 9 p. m.

APPLES
Jonathans—U.S. No. 1
$3.50 bushel
Black Twig—$2.50 bushel
Yorks—$2.25 bushel
Red Starks Delicious
2 lbs. 25c

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| ORANGES | doz. 25c up |
| TANGERINES | doz. 30c |
| BANANAS | lb. 15c |
| XMAS CANDY | lb. 25c up |
| Large Paper Shell PECANS | 35c lb., 3 lbs. $1.00 |
| MIXED NUTS | lb. 35c |
| ENGLISH WALNUTS | lb. 40c |
| BRAZIL NUTS | lb. 40c |
| ALMONDS | lb. 35c |
| PEANUTS | lb. 35c |
| FILBERTS | lb. 35c |
| SHELL PECANS | lb. 98c |

Thurman's Fruit Mkt.
8 a.m. to 10 p.m.
FREE DELIVERY
302 East 16th St. Phone 2950

## VIII—Merchandise (Continued)

### 55A—Farm Equipment

NEW AND USED FARM MACHINERY at bargain prices. Mansfield's. Sedalia.

USED FARM TRACTORS and implements. Will wholesale to dealers. Write Gordon Implement Company, Riggston, Illinois.

### 56—Fuel, Feed, Fertilizers

WINDSOR LUMP COAL: Phone 5044 or 785.

WOOD, DRY OR GREEN: Phone 1633-J or 5053-W.

GOOD WINDSOR, Deepwater and Warsaw coal, delivered. Phone 79.

### 59—Household Goods

DEARBORN HEATER, 60,000 B. T. U. Phone 1610.

LIVING ROOM SUITE, two-piece, cheap. Phone 3989-W.

USED THOR WASHER, good condition. $25. 520 East 5th.

NEW PILLOWS: Goose feathers, also heavy sewing. Phone 3640.

BREAKFAST SET, dining room set, RCA Console radio, cheap. 5579.

FURNITURE, TOOLS, Etc. Sold, bought. Ralph's, 106 West 11th. 4125.

KEROSENE COOK STOVE, table top, white enamel. 1316 South Missouri.

EASY SPIN WASHING MACHINE: good condition. 1713 West 11th, mornings.

FIVE ROOM OIL HEATER—with tank and fan, 54,000 B.T.U. 1113 Ware avenue.

BECKWITH HEATER, M-16 Round Oak A-1 condition. Price $20 including pipes. 321 North Grand.

GAS STOVE, good condition, upright piano, divan and chair. Other articles. Mid-State Storage, Phone 946.

NEW ELECTRIC SEWING MACHINES $69.95 Terms, $17.85 down, $5 month. Sedalia Vacuum Company, 114 East Main. Phone 4710.

NEW AND USED WASHERS, refrigerators, sewing machines, gas ranges Sedalia Vacuum Company, 114 East Main. Phone 4 10.

VENETIAN BLINDS: New sensational Ezi-Kleen. Makes cleaning easy. Available immediately. Callies Furniture Company, 202 West Main Phone 412.

VENETIAN BLINDS: Call me for a "blind date." Any style expertly installed. F. H. A. monthly terms if desired. The Blindman. Phone 2003.

### 59B—Furniture to Rent

SIMMONS ADJUSTABLE hospital beds for rent. Callies Furniture Company.

### 61—Machinery and Tools

SHOE MACHINERY—$175. 125 East Boonville.

TITAN CHAIN SAW sales and service. Jolly's Welding, 508 West 2nd. Phone 544 or 4781.

### 62—Musical Merchandise

NEW BAND INSTRUMENTS $89.50. Spinet piano, $465. 1629 Park. 4622-R.

KINGSBURY PIANO, antique settee, chair, rocker, other articles. Phone 4366-R.

GENERAL ELECTRIC (Black Daylight) Television. Come in for demonstratio. Sedalia Vacuum Company, 114 East Main Phone 4710.

PIANOS: Lester-Betsy-Ross Spinets, Lester-Grands, Conover Cable Good practice pianos. Liberal terms, rentals. Jefferson Piano Company. 205 East 2nd. Phone 3048-W

KIMBALL PIANO, SMALL SIZE in beautiful antique ivory. Measure 51 inches high on your wall for the size of this piano. Jefferson Piano Company, 205 East 2nd. Phone 3048.-W

### 65—Wearing Apparel

BLACK SEALSKIN COAT, full length, 36. Almost new. Phone 291.

### 66—Wanted—To Buy

ANTIQUE DOLL HEAD, body, parts. Mrs. Pavlicek, 2300 South Ohio.

BAND INSTRUMENTS WANTED: Top prices paid. 1629 Park. Phone 4622-R.

OLD DOLLS, Haviland China, antiques. Rose Clayton, 906 South Massachusetts.

WE BUY scrap iron and junk cars. McCown Brothers Auto Parts, Main and Park. Phone 4012.

WE BUY FURS at highest market price, bring it over for an appraisal. M. and M. Hide, Wool and Fur Company, 301 West Main.

## IV—Rooms and Board

### 67—Rooms with Board

ROOM AND BOARD in modern home. Phone 1538.

ROOM AND BOARD, reasonable. 202 East 5th. Phone 947.

CONVALESCENTS: elderly or sick. Feel at home away from home. Good food. Nurses care. Phone 5464-M.

### 68—Rooms without Board

TWO MODERN sleeping rooms. 317 West 6th. Phone 153.

MODERN SLEEPING ROOM: 521 East 10th. Phone 4432.

LARGE FRONT SLEEPING ROOM: 320 East 4th. Phone 2346

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## IV—Rooms and Board (Continued)

### 69A—House Trailer for Rent

HOUSE TRAILER, partly furnished. 325 East Harvey.

### 69-B—Trailer Space for Rent

TRAILER SPACE for rent. 1½ blocks downtown. Washing facilities. Utilities paid. 217 East 6th. Phone 5607.

## X—Real Estate for Rent

### 74—Apartments and Flats

RILEY APARTMENT: 106 West 2nd. Phone 956.

4 ROOM MODERN furnished apartment. Adults. 209 East 6th.

3 ROOM basement apartment, furnished. 815 South Barrett.

4 ROOM APARTMENT, strictly modern, unfurnished. Phone 5484.

TWO FURNISHED ROOMS, utilities paid. Adults. Phone 4379.

3 ROOM unfurnished modern apartment, utilities paid. Close-in. Phone 2431.

FURNISHED TWO OR THREE room apartment. Close in. Phone 2346.

UNFURNISHED APARTMENT for rent. 1829 South Barrett. $63. Phone 305.

FURNISHED TWO ROOM apartment, private bath. Adults. Phone 2602.

2 MODERN FURNISHED ROOMS: Utilities paid. Phone 3797-W. Upstairs.

TWO ROOMS, furnished. Inquire Tish Beauty Salon. Phone 3543-W evenings.

TWO ROOM FURNISHED apartment, close-in. Child welcome. Phone 4720-M.

THREE ROOM modern apartment, furnished. Private entrance. Phone 3819.

MODERN THREE ROOM furnished apartment, utilities paid. Adults. 402 East 3rd.

3 ROOM MODERN unfurnished apartment. Employed adults. Close in. Phone 1271.

FIRST FLOOR APARTMENT, unfurnished, private bath, heat, utilities. 1320 Ohio.

3 ROOM FURNISHED APARTMENT, private entrance, utilities paid. Phone 4438-M.

KITCHENETTE APARTMENT — private bath, adults. 207 East 7th. Phone 4374-R.

FIVE ROOM APARTMENT attractively furnished, modern. Adults preferred. Phone 2866-J.

TWO COMPLETE housing units, furnished, utilities paid. Inquire 311 West 9th. Phone 5680.

THREE ROOM unfurnished apartment, first class, private bath. Three outside entrances. First floor. Call 2816.

4 ROOMS, UNFURNISHED, newly decorated, good location in Sedalia. Mrs. R. W. Berry, Phone 157 California, Missouri.

### 75A—Business Places for Lease

WILL LEASE: BUSINESS BUILDING at 115 West 5th. Heat furnished. For information call 768.

### 77—Houses for Rent

FIVE ROOM HOUSE, $20 month. John Bluhm, Smithton, Missouri.

HOUSE—Electricity, two acres. Hughesville school bus. Kemp Hieronymus, 5125-M-4.

4 ROOM modern furnished house. Garage. Available January 1st. West side. References exchanged. Write Box "140" Democrat.

### 78—Offices and Desk Room

15x17 ROOM, some office fixtures included. 114½ West 4th.

### 81—Wanted—To Rent

OR LEASE: 6 or 7 room unfurnished house. Phone 3591-W.

## XI—Real Estate for Sale

### 82A—Business For Sale

SERVICE STATION equipment, and stock of groceries at inventory price. Low rental on station. Reason for selling going to California. 10 miles north of Sedalia on Highway 65.

### 83—Farms and Land for Sale

WE HAVE THE farm or home you're looking for. Priced right. David Hieronymus Agency, 113 Ohio, 93.

MODERN HOUSE, L. P. gas heat, garage, smoke house and cellar, barn. 40 acres. 7 miles Southeast Sedalia. Phone 5108-W-1.

### 84—Houses for Sale

GOOD 5 ROOM HOUSE, modern, except bath. 1722 South Moniteau.

OR TRADE: Five room house, hardwood floors. 1809 South Osage.

TWO ROOM HOUSE and large lot. Water and lights. Northwest. Reasonable. Phone 2162.

NEW HOME, choose decorations, near completion. 1318 Arlington. Phone 3498-M.

6 ROOM HOUSE, modern. Garage. Also 100 acre well improved farm. Good house, basement. Phone 3552-W

WE HAVE OVER 75 homes listed in Sedalia. See us first Stephenson Real Estate, 102 East 5th. Phone 479.

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## XI—Real Estate for Sale (Continued)

### 85—Lots for Sale

LOTS: From Crescent Drive to 14th. Phone 3498-M.

CORNER LOT, block 16 West View Heights, 1200 South Park. Priced right. Phone 192-W.

### 88—To Exchange—Real Estate

OR TRADE, for small house, 7 rooms, modern. Phone 4438-M.

### 89—Wanted—Real Estate

WE HAVE BUYERS: List your city, farm property with us. David Hieronymus Agency, 113 Ohio. Phone 93.

WE HAVE CASH PROSPECTS for homes. We need listings. List with us for results. Stephenson Real Estate, 102 East 5th. Phone 479.

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### NOTICE OF TRIENNIAL MEETING OF CERTIFICATE HOLDERS

Notice is hereby given that the triennial meeting of certificate holders of Bankers Guaranty Life Company of Sedalia, Missouri, will be held in the office of the Company, 401 South Lamine, Sedalia, Missouri, on Monday, the seventh day of January, 1952, beginning at ten A. M. and closing at one P. M., for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.
Dated at Sedalia, Missouri, this 6th day of December, 1951.
J. E. HURLEY,
President.
J. RUSSELL SHARPE,
Secretary-Treasurer.
12-6-51—1-6-52.

### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING ON REZONING APPLICATION

Whereas the Zoning Board of Adjustment and the City Council of Sedalia, Missouri, have received application from: Annie Bruehl, A. W. Spurlock, and Herbert B. Hunter, Sedalia, Missouri, owners of the following described real estate:
Lots 6 to 12 inclusive, Block 3, of Dundee Place, and Lots 169 to 181 inclusive; 145 to 148 inclusive; 189 to 192 inclusive; 193 to 206 inclusive; 224 to 240 inclusive; 182 to 188 inclusive, of Hillcrest Addition,
requesting that said real estate be changed and rezoned from:
Zone "A" to Zone "B" (One Family Dwelling to Two Family Dwelling)
and that said application be acted upon as provided in Ordinance No. 3034; therefore, in compliance with Sections No. 7415 and 7416 R. S. Missouri, 1939, other applicable statutes and said Zoning Ordinance No. 3034, said Zoning Board of Adjustment will meet in the Council Chamber, City Hall Building, Sedalia, Missouri, at 7:30 o'clock P. M. on January 4, 1952 for the purpose of a public hearing in relation to said application to change the zone and rezone said real estate, at which time and place parties in interest and citizens shall have an opportunity to be heard.
Dated at Sedalia, Missouri, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1951.
THE ZONING BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT,
CITY OF SEDALIA, MISSOURI,
By J. Ross Kindred, Chairman.
CITY OF SEDALIA, MISSOURI,
By Herb. E. Studer, Mayor.
Attested with the Seal of said City:
FRED HANDLEY,
(Seal) City Clerk.

PRISCILLA'S POP — GOOD ENOUGH FOR HER — BY AL VERMEER




CHRIS WELKIN, Planeteer — MEET THE BARBER — BY RUSS WINTERBOTHAM




CAPTAIN EASY — TAKING OFF — BY LESLIE TURNER



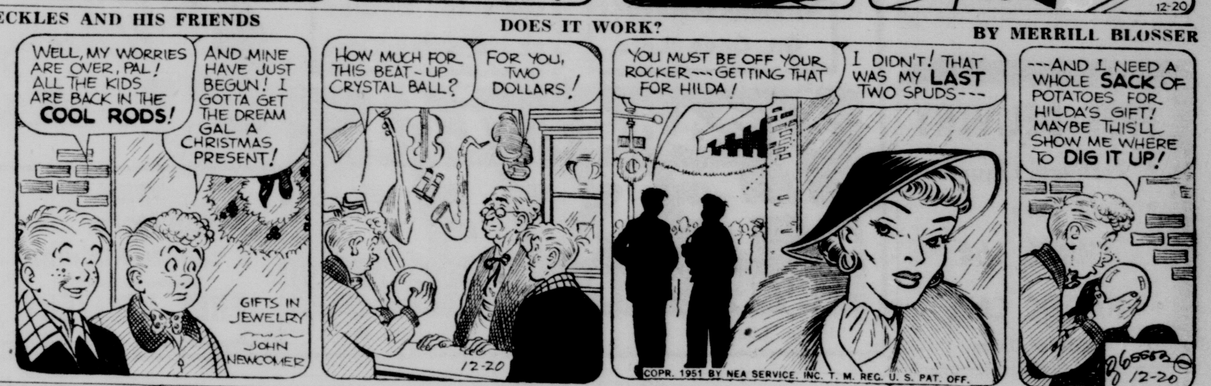

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES — SUSPICIOUS — BY EDGAR MARTIN




BUGGS BUNNY — SELF-DEFENSE




FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS — DOES IT WORK? — BY MERRILL BLOSSER




ALLEY OOP — CHECK! — BY V. T. HAMLIN



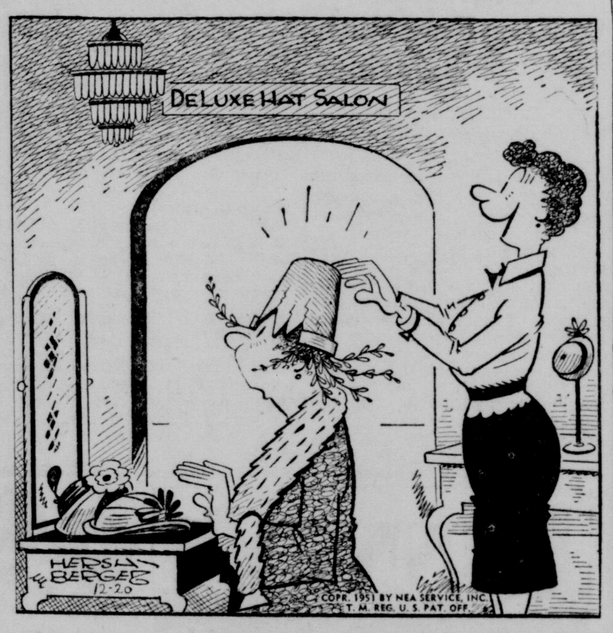
*Carnival* — *By Dick Turner*




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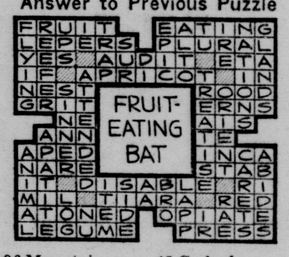
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"A potted plant that fell on the designer's head gave him the idea for this one!"

## Feathered Friend

Answer to Previous Puzzle

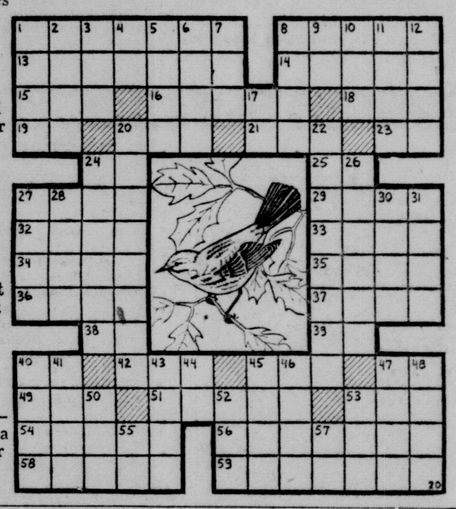



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1 Depicted bird, the prairie ——
8 Its back is —— green
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15 Upper limb
16 Asiatic nation
18 Male
19 Italian river
20 Feminine appellation
21 Crafty
23 French article
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35 Nursery word
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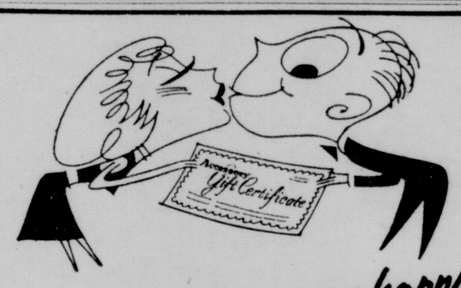
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# President Faces Dilemma Over Steel Strike, Has 2 Weapons

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20—(AP)—President Truman has a couple of remedies he can try in an effort to stop a steel strike which Philip Murray's CIO Steelworkers say they'll pull Jan. 1 if they don't get a raise by then.

Mr. Truman could (A) dump the problem in the lap of the Wage Stabilization Board, which he might do in preference to using (B) the Taft-Hartley act, through which he could delay a strike 80 days.

No doubt the President will handle the case delicately since Murray is one of his strongest backers and it isn't politically smart to alienate your friends unnecessarily.

But the President has another and, so far as the rest of the country is concerned, a stronger reason for being careful here: If he pokes a hole in the anti-inflation curtain to help Murray, living costs go up.

The steelworkers want a new contract giving them higher wages and other benefits. Murray warns they don't work without a contract and if they don't have a new one when the old one ends Jan. 1, they'll strike.

The U. S. Steel Corporation says it can't raise wages a penny unless the government permits it to raise prices to pay for the raise, which thus rams the whole dispute head on into the anti-inflation program:

The government's Office of Price Stabilization (OPS) and the Wage Stabilization Board (WSB) have put ceilings on prices and wages to keep both of them down.

If it breaks the ceiling in this case to avoid a steel strike, then it has opened the door for other unions and companies to demand higher wages and prices.

Of course, there's a question of whether the industry, out of its present profits, can afford to raise wages without needing a price increase to pay for them.

If it can, it would seem the dispute can be settled by Jan. 1 between the union and the industry, and nobody gets hurt. But its own statement that it can't—taken at face value—would indicate the OPS and WSB will have to get into this mix-up before it's over.

This is what the President can do if a strike seems certain on Jan. 1:

1. Taft-Hartley. Under this law he could declare that a strike would create a national emergency. The attorney general would ask a court to issue an injunction forbidding a strike for 80 days.

During that time the two sides are supposed to reach a settlement. But if there's no agreement by the end of 80 days, the union can strike.

So this method could delay a strike but not, in the end, prevent it. Further: If the injunction were issued around Jan. 1, the 80 days would be up in mid-March.

By that time John L. Lewis' coal miners could be on strike. Their present contracts end in March. A coal and steel strike at the same time would be a beaut.

2. WSB. The President could ask the board to examine the dispute. It would. And it would make recommendations. Neither the union nor the industry would have to accept the board's recommendations although public opinion would support the board, putting pressure on both sides to accept.

Still, in neither case could the government (A) force either side to settle their dispute or (B) in the end prevent a strike if the steelworkers wanted one badly enough.

Yet, if the WSB decided the workers should get what they wanted, even though it meant OPS would have to let the steel industry raise prices, that would settle the case pretty fast.

One thing is sure: The government wants to avoid a steel strike.

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MOFFETT FIELD, Calif., Dec. 20 — (AP) — A runaway propeller caused some uneasy moments on a Marine Corps transport plane 900 miles out over the Pacific yesterday. But the pilot finally feathered the prop and made an uneventful landing here two hours behind schedule.

The DC, with 21 passengers and a crew of 10, was piloted by Capt. Hugh Greely of El Toro, Calif. It took Greely two hours to control the prop's speed and pitch. That erased the threat of the engine being torn loose.

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O'Conor, just back from a two-week trip to South America, said also that the nation's preparedness program must include construction of more passenger ships capable of rapid conversion to troop transports.

Only by personal observation, he said in a statement, "was it possible for me fully to assess the danger our country runs in not moving more speedily to add to its present supply" of both faster tankers and passenger vessels suitable for conversion to troop carriers.

"The reported policy of our government of depending upon foreign vessels in case of emergency is shortsighted and, I believe, dangerous to our future security." O'Connor said.

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**Hal Boyle Says---**

## *Women Are Superior to Men, Trouble Is They Know It*

By Hal Boyle

NEW YORK, Dec. 20 — (AP) — Women are superior to men in many ways. (The trouble is they know it.)

Men use logic as a crutch, something to lean on. Women use logic like a pole vaulter. When it can lift them no higher, they let go of it — and go sailing on.

They never become a prisoner of logic, as men do. If it can no longer serve them, they simply rise above logic. This explains why women are mentally superior to men, and why no woman in history ever was proved wrong. Illogical? Of course. But wrong? Never.

Women show the same change-of-pace ability in the matter of emotion. They are great broken field runners here, too, and that is why they are emotionally superior to men.

Many a strong man will let an emotion get him down until, as he says, "I feel lower than a whale's abdomen." But a woman? When she feels that low she sets about finding a way to have a whale of a time out of it.

This difference between the sexes is most clearly shown in how they react to "the glooms." The glooms is a disease that thrives on civilization. It is the feeling you get when something goes a-wry. As civilization gets more and more complicated, there naturally are more things to go a-wry, so the glooms seem to mushroom more and more.

But whether the glooms come from a broken heart, a lost job, or a traffic cop's unkind remarks, a woman knows how to rise above them better than a man. He wallows in his depression until he almost drowns of self-pity. She tests herself out of despair by giving herself small unexpected pleasures. She takes positive action to lead her spirits out of the black jail.

That is why, when women feel bad, they buy themselves a new hat or lunch at a restaurant they can't afford. They do something positive to break the pattern of their mood, and make themselves feel better. They celebrate.

Men don't know how. They just go on feeling sorry for themselves until they wear out their worries or their worries wear them out. They end up with ulcers — the ladies with new wardrobes.

Poor men, they never have learned how and when to celebrate.

They think the time to have a gay night out on the town is after they have had a raise in pay. That is when they ought to go home and relax. They feel good enough already. It's when they've had tough luck they ought to dress up, see a good show, and start opening champagne bottles. Anything to pull them out of the glooms.

To men life is usually black or white. They feel good or they feel bad, and they have no ready formula to change the color of their emotions. To women life is more pastel, and they are artists in living. They change the colors if they get too somber. At least they try to.

When I explained this theory to my wife, Frances, she replied:

"Rover, that is the only sensible thing I ever heard you say about women. The reason women live longer than men is that they know how to pet themselves when they feel bad. Men don't."

I don't know what she'll say, however, when I lug home the new television set I bought yesterday. I was feeling lousy.

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SAIGON, Vietnam —(AP)— Vietnam's economy is on the upgrade even though there's a war on against the Communist-led Vietminh forces.

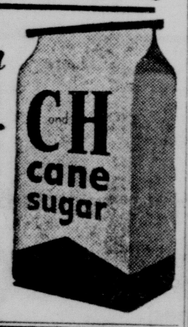
Increased rice exports are highlighting this trend. The Vietnamese minister of national economy, announced here that rice exports during the first 10 months of 1951 topped 320,000 tons. Vietnamese now optimistically predict that the outgoing shipments will reach around 500,000 tons in 1952.


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Jack Sprat **GELATINE** 4 boxes 19¢

**OLD JUDGE COFFEE** lb. 83¢

Sunkist **ORANGES** 288 size Doz. 39¢

**ALL WASHING POWDERS** 30¢

**CELERY** large stalk 19¢

Bar-B-Cue **Relish** 10½-oz. glass 29¢

Dated **Nut Roll** 24¢

Harmony Mix **Candy** lb. 23¢

Fruit **Cocktail** Tall can 23¢

Baker's **Cocoanut** 8-oz. bag 29¢

Green **Beans** lb. 19¢

**Grapes** 2 lbs. 29¢

California **Carrots** cello bag 23¢

Pineapple **Juice** 46-oz. can 33¢

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**HERSHEY BARS** Plain or Almond Box of 24 89¢

**CIGARETTES** All Popular Brands Ctn. $1.83

**PAPER NAPKINS** Box of 60 White and Box of 60 Colored 120 Napkins 19¢

**GREEN BEANS** Iona Standard Cut 2 16-oz. Cans 25c

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**TOMATO JUICE** Iona Refreshing 46-oz. Can 27c

**GRAPEFRUIT JUICE** A&P, Grade A 2 46-oz. Cans 41c

**PUMPKIN PIE SPICE** Ann Page Ground 1¾-oz. Can 15c

**FACIAL TISSUE** Angel Soft, Handkerchief Size Pkg. of 400 25c

**CRISCO** All Purpose Shortening 1-Lb. Can 35c

**DIAL** Popular Deodorant Soap 2 Bath Size 37c

**WHOLE KERNEL CORN** Butter Kernel Brand 16-oz. Can 18c

**BEEF CHOP SUEY** Tasty Treat, La Choy No. 2 Can 55c

**MACARONI** American Beauty, Nutritious 7-oz. Pkg. 11c

**BABO** Household Cleanser 2 14-oz. Cans 25c

**GARDIN TEA NAPKINS** Indispensable, Handy Pkg. of 80 11c



**Enjoy a Christmas feast with one of A&P's ready-to-roast turkeys!**

**Oven-Ready Turkeys** will be a big help to hostesses and budgets. They're fully dressed to save you time and work—sold without heads, feet and excess waste, to save you money. These young, tender, deep-breasted, delicious turkeys are so good, they're sold with an unqualified money-back guarantee.

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**Oven-Ready**

**Oven-Ready means fully cleaned. Nothing to do but stuff and roast.**

**Young Hens** 10-12 Lb. Avg. lb. 69¢ (6-9 Lb. Avg., Lb. 75c)

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Oven Ready **Capons** lb 75¢

Forzen Jumbo **Pink Shrimp** lb. 69¢ 5-Lb. Box $3.39

4-5 Lb. Avg., Oven-Ready **Ducks** Lb. 67¢

All Gold **Sliced Bacon** lb. 43¢

4-4½ Lb. Avg., Fresh Drawn **Fresh Hens** Lb. 57¢

4 to 6-Lb.—Cooked **Picnics** lb. 39¢

**A&P Customers' Corner**

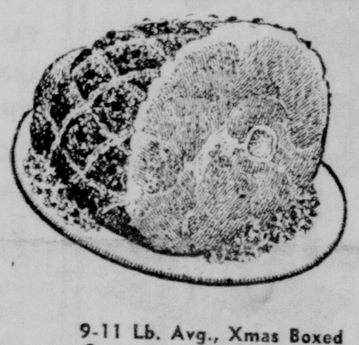
*Merry Christmas*

At this season of the year, this is our sincere wish for everyone:

May you have a Merry Christmas, the happy companionship of loved ones, the warm fellowship and understanding of friends. May the New Year hold for you a full measure of happiness.

*from all of us at A&P*

Ocean Spray **Cranberry Sauce** 16-oz. can 15¢



**Fully Cooked Super-Right Hams**

12-16 Lb. Avg., Short Shank

Whole or Half Ham lb. 59¢

For Fine Pies, Grade A, Fancy **A&P Pumpkin** 2 No. 2½ Cans 35¢

Full Standard Quality **Iona Peas** 2 16-oz. Cans 23¢



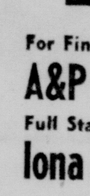
NONE SUCH **Mince Meat** 9-oz. Box 21¢

Grade A, Fancy, Flavorful **A&P Applesauce** 2 16-oz. Cans 21¢



**Canada Dry Sparkling Water** 2 28-oz. Btls. 39¢ (Plus Deposit)

Ann Page, Ground **Cinnamon Spice** 1¾-oz. Box 13¢



SULTANA STUFFED **Olives** 6¾-oz. Jar 39¢

La Mirada Delicious **Jumbo Ripe Olives** 8½-oz. Jar 39¢

For Quick & Easy Baking **Bisquick Mix** 40-oz. Pkg. 45¢

Pure All Vegetable **dexo Shortening** 3 -Lb. Tin 87¢




*All prices in this ad effective through Monday, Dec. 24th*

9-11 Lb. Avg., Xmas Boxed **Canned Hams** Lb. 75¢

Ideal for Small Families **Cooked Hams** 3 -Lb. Can $2.99

Fully Cooked, Xmas Boxed **Wilson's Hams** 6 -Lb. Can $5.49

Short Shank, 5-7 Lb. Avg. **Cooked Picnics** Lb. 39¢



**Cranberries** Eatmore, Large Red Berries 1-Lb. Bag 25¢

**Fresh Tangerines** Sweet, Florida 176 Size Doz. 29¢

Crisp, Tender, Delicious **Celery Hearts** Bunch 25c

California Navel **Oranges** 6 extra large 45¢

Delicious With Xmas Ham **Louisiana Yams** 2 Lbs. 33¢

No Peanuts, Regalo Assorted **Salted Nuts** 1-Lb. Tray 99c

In the Shell **Mixed Nuts** 1-Lb. Bag 49c

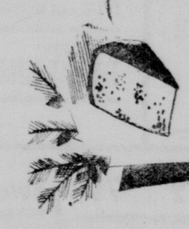
Heart of Ozark, Frozen **Strawberries** 16-oz. Pkg. 35c

Good Eating, Decorative Too **Red Radishes** Bunch 5c

Fresh-Frozen, Tender **Libby's Peas** 8-oz. Pkg. 16c



Jane Parker **Fruit Cake** 1½-Lb. $1.39 | 3-Lb. $2.75 | 5-Lb. $4.50



Darigold **Bleu Cheese** lb. 69¢

Jane Parker, Delicious **Cherry Pie** (Reg. Price 53c) 8-Inch Pie 43¢

For Your Holiday Parties **Xmas Tree Cookies** 9-oz. Pkg. 35¢

Just Bake & Serve **Ballard Biscuits** 2 Pkgs. 29¢

Hot Rolls in a Jiffy, Plain **Brown 'n 'Serve** Pkg. of 12 15¢

Jane Parker, Cocoanut **Orange Gold Cake** 8-Inch Cake 65¢

Use It Fresh, Jane Parker **Stuffing Bread** 24-oz. Loaf 20¢




Kraft's Philadelphia **Cream Cheese** 2 3-oz. Pkgs. 29¢

CLARKSBURG

# Woolen Mills Calls Workers Back to Jobs

By Mrs. Maude Albin

CLARKSBURG — Several employees from Clarksburg are now being called back to the California woolen mills to begin work. The mill has been closed for several months except for a few who were there doing occasional work.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Martin and children, Mary Ellen and Paul Leonard, were guests Saturday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dunham, Excelsior community.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Vaughan, Sedalia, are the parents of a son, Stanley Paul, born Wednesday morning at Dr. Luebbert's clinic in Tipton. Mrs. Vaughan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Stinson of near Clarksburg and is at their home now. The Vaughans have another son, Eddie Ray, age three.

Mr .and Mrs. Joe Powell recently received word that one of their small granddaughters, Judy Albertson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Albertson, is suffering from Bright's disease. Mrs. Albertson, who before her marriage was Helen Powell, was born and reared in this community. They will not be able to spend Christmas with homefolks.

There was no school at Clarksburg high school Monday due to the icy and hazardous roads.

Mrs. Eva Whittaker, who has been ill for several months, is now able to be up for a few hours a day.

The Rev. J. H. Hood, California, filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church Sunday morning and evening. He was accompanied by Mrs. Hood and daughters.

**Beautiful Lips**

The French government forbids the practice, among natives of its African possessions of stretching the lips with wooden disks. It had come to be a mark of great beauty to have enormous lips.

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LADY OF LIGHT—Wearing the traditional crown of candles is Margit Sjodin, 18, Sweden's "Lucia," or Queen of Light. The Swedish beauty is en route to the United States after reigning over her country's Lucia Day, harbinger of the Swedish Christmas season.

**Old Law Still Lingers**

NEW DELHI, India —(AP)— Under an old law still lingering on the statute books in most of India, 77,000 members of so-called "criminal tribes" have been set apart from society because of accident of birth.

They must report to the police station daily or weekly, as specified by local officials, and in some instances live in government settlements under permanent observation.

So far Madras and Bombay states have repealed the Criminal Tribes act, which the British regime in India initiated in 1871 to control the activities of "tribes and communities found to be often engaged in committting crimes against property almost as a profession."

**Agile Elephants**

Elephants are surprisingly agile. Their tracks have been found on the summit of Adam's Peak, in Ceylon, a peak that is difficult for human beings to climb.

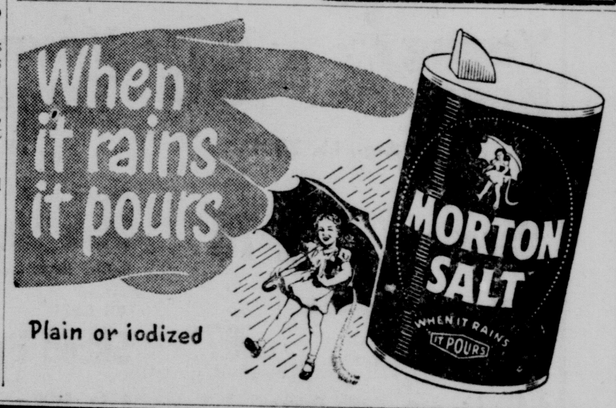
**Old Chinese Rheumatism Cure**

MACLEOD, Alta. — (AP) — After Jimmy Trowbridge shot a bobcat, he received a request from a Chinese restaurant proprietor for the animal's bones. The Chinese explained he wanted them for an old Chinese prescription for a rheumatism cure.


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OCEAN SPRAY Cranberry Sauce 2 cans 35¢
FOLGER'S COFFEE Lb. 83¢
JACK SPRAT Fruit Cocktail No. 303 can 25¢
HEINZ ASSORTED Fruit Jellies 6 glasses $1.49

INTRODUCING! Pillsbury's GOLDEN YELLOW CAKE MIX
Pillsbury's Golden Yellow Cake Mix 35¢

Lee Natural Flavor GRAPEFRUIT JUICE 46-oz. can 27¢
Lee Delicious MINCED MEAT 18-oz. jar 39¢
Pillsbury PIE DOUGH MIX 9-oz. pkg. 18¢
JackSprat PUMPKIN 2 No. 2 cans 35¢

—FRESH OYSTERS—

Nu Taste CHEESE 2 lbs. 79¢
Mi Choice MARGARINE lb. 23¢
Sunshine Krispy Crackers 1-lb. box 31¢
Sunshine Assorted CHOCOLATES lb. 79¢
Jack Sprat Sweet Pickles 8-oz. jar 25¢
Lee Spanish QUEEN OLIVES No. 8 jar 39¢
Haase's Kosher DILL OLIVES No. 8 jar 35¢
Diamond PAPER NAPKINS pkg. 13¢

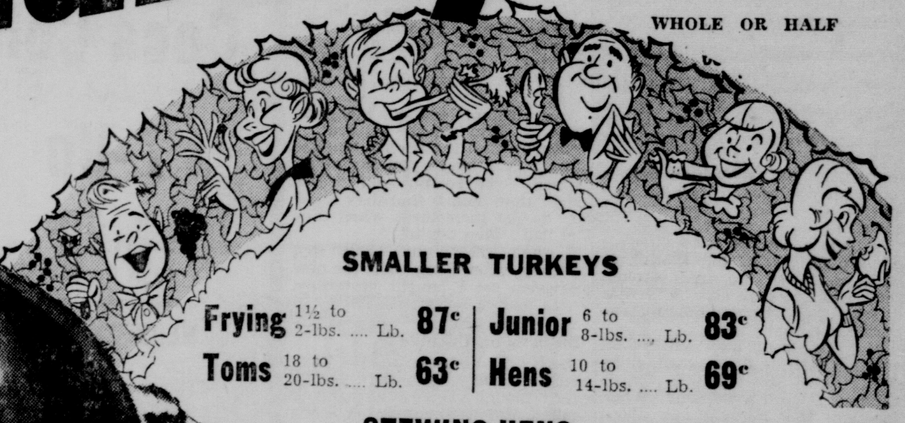



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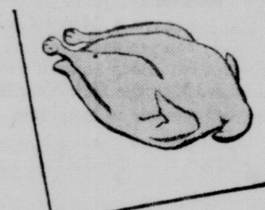


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Frying 1½ to 2-lbs. .... Lb. 87¢
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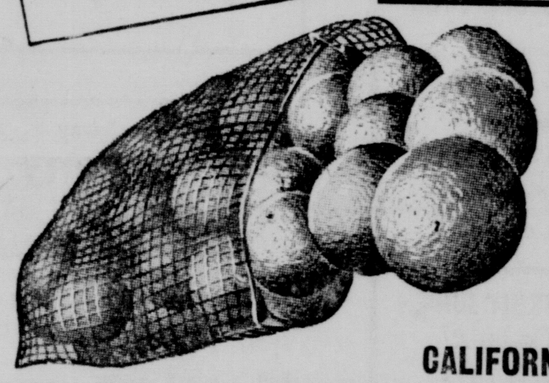
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Florida Juice! Large size, thin skinned. Buy Now!
8 lb. bag 49¢
CALIFORNIA SUNKIST Lb. 59¢

CELERY Crisp, tender Calif. Pascal ..... Large Stalk 29¢
Yams Porto Rican Kiln Dried ..... 2 lbs. 33¢
CRANBERRIES Extra Fancy ..... 1-lb. Cello 29¢
APPLES Extra Fancy Eating Winesaps ..... 2 lbs. 29¢
WALNUTS New Crop English From California ..... 1-lb. Cello 35¢
PECANS Georgia Papershell ..... 3-lb. Bag $1.00
GRAPES Fancy Emperor ..... 2 lbs. 29¢
CHRISTMAS TREES Trees and Wreaths All Sizes — Value Priced!

CRANBERRY SAUCE Ocean Spray 2 Tall Cans 29¢

Kroger—19c Value
PUMPKIN ..... 2 No. 2½ Cans 35¢
Popular Brands — Save!
CIGARETTES ..... Carton $1.77
Buffalo Frozen — Save 8c
STRAWBERRIES ..... 12-oz. Pkg. 25¢
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LIMA BEANS ..... 2 12-oz. pkgs. 29¢

Cheesefood — 99c Value
VELVEETA ..... 2 lb. loaf 85¢
Large Size — 54c Value!
ANGEL FOOD CAKE ..... 49¢
C&H POWDERED OR
BROWN SUGAR ..... 2 pkgs. 25¢

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Offer expires January 12, 1952. Complete your set now. They also make wonderful gifts for Christmas. Save 40 to 50% now!

Crisco ..... 3 lb. can 99¢
Ivory Soap ..... 4 personal bars 23¢
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BORDEN'S STARLAC
Makes 5 Qts. of non-fat milk.
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Ivory Snow ..... Large Pkg. 30¢
Dreft ..... Lge. Pkg. 30¢
Hydrox Cookies ..... 12-oz. Pkg. 39¢

NELSON

# Sgt. Hinton Goes Overseas

By Orpha Lee McCoy

NELSON — Sgt. Robert W. Hinton, who visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Hinton in November, has been sent overseas.

Mrs. Harry McGraw is a patient at the Fitsgibbon hospital in Marshall.

Mrs. Paul W. Barnes spent Sunday night and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Land and Burton of Marshall.

Mrs. Frank Hilton is expecting her son, Cpl. Charles Franklin Niceley of Korea, for the holidays.

Ralph Whitney, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Whitney and family, returned to service at Ft. Laketon, Wash., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Tucker and daughter moved into rooms in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Johnson this week. Miss Ruth Kavanaugh and family have moved into the telephone office and Mrs. Kavanaugh will operate the switchboard.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Holder and daughter, Gilberta Rae, were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Holder.

Mrs. William Reinschmidt and son, William Garnett, arrived home from the hospital Thursday afternoon.

Everett Townsend of near Arrow Rock attended an elevator meeting Thursday evening and Mrs. Townsend visited with Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Nelson and son, C. W.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence King and daughter of New Castle, Okla., arrived Tuesday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Pace and other relatives.

Virgil Potter, who was ill last week, is able to be out.

Mrs. O. R. Leonard and daughter, Carol Ann, spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Foree Bellwood and son, Mack, of Marshall Junction.

Mrs. I. M. Fowler, Mr. R. H. Jopling and the Rev. A. C. Perkins, who have been ill, are improving.

Ralph Murphy, who is employed in Kansas City, spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Willie Murphy and Dorothy.

Pfc. and Mrs. Ellis Burks of Albuquerque, N. M., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Crawer and other relatives.

Mrs. Will Clark of near Herndon was killed suddenly Saturday when their car went into a ditch. Mrs. Clark was the stepmother of Mrs. Lee Bush and sister of Mr. Joe Townsend. Services were Tuesday at Herndon and burial was in the Nelson cemetery.

Mrs. I. M. Smith, who is spending the winter with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Smith of New Haven, is improved.

CLARKSBURG

# Cross Lane Club Has Christmas Tree And Social

CLARKSBURG — The Cross Lane club members and other friends gathered Thursday night, Dec. 13, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Knipp for the annual Christmas tree and social. A large crowd attended. The house was decorated and there was a beautiful tree and Santa was there to greet the children. There were presents for everyone. Refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. White of Plattsmouth, Nebr., arrived Tuesday night to visit in the home of her mother, Mrs. G. C. Van Stratten. They also visited relatives in the Lupus community.

M. J. Battles, Sr., who was seriously ill several days ago, is greatly improved.

The monthly WMU met Friday at the home of the president, Mrs. G. C. Van Stratten.

The OES met at the Masonic lodge hall Thursday for the annual Christmas tree and party.

Ina Jean Stinson has been quite ill.

Pfc. Lloyd Baker arrived Sunday morning to spend a 15-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Ethel Baker of Clarksburg, and other relatives. Lloyd is stationed at Camp Stoneman, Calif., where he has been several months. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ferguson, Tipton, sister and brother-in-law of Lloyd, met him at the train in California, Mo., and were dinner guests in the Baker home. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Martin and children of Cross Lane were afternoon guests.

The Rev. Monroe Vaughan of Kansas City filled his appointment at Mt. Moriah church Sunday mroning. He was accompanied by his wife and two daughters. They were entertained Saturday night and Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. P. Martin and son, Alan. The Sunday night services were dismissed due to icy roads and bad weather.



TINY PRINCESS — Princess Margaret of England is portrayed in this embroidered miniature from the "Dress Through the Ages" collection of Mrs. Lilian Lunn. Mrs. Lunn's collection of figurines depicting dress styles for 700 years is now on display in London. More than 2,000,000 stitches go into the making of each model.

**Look At The Future**

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. — (AP) — Savings and loan associations can expect to double their business from the present total of nearly $19 billion within the next 10 years, Walter J. L. Ray, president of the United States Savings and Loan League, told the organization's recent convention here.

"Today there are approximately eight million families with incomes of $5,000 a year as compared with only 1,570,000 10 years ago," Ray said. "In the past decade our total population increased by 14.4 per cent, but individual family units increased by 25 per cent.

"During the early years of the past decade, we saw the highest rate of marriages in history and a war-baby boom. In another decade the war babies will start coming of marriageable age and we can expect the rate of new family formations to zoom upward to a new all-time high."

**Battling the Air**

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**Pearly Luster**

All pearls lose their luster in time, and there is no truth to the belief that they will lose their soft glow unless worn constantly next to the skin.


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YOUNG TOMS 18 to 20-lb. Avg. Lb. 59c

YOUNG HENS 12 to 14-lb. Avg. Lb. 69c

The star of stars for your holiday feast—a GOLD SEAL TURKEY . . . plump as Santa, and personally selected by us for its deep-meated breast and well-rounded drumsticks . . . for its finer quality that means finer flavor and jucier goodness. The best buy at any price.

GEESE Fresh, Fully Dressed, Oven Ready ..... Lb. 53c

DUCKS Fully Dressed Long Island ..... Lb. 59c

TENDER, FLAVORFUL, ECONOMY BEEF
CHUCK ROAST ..... Lb. 59c
COUNTRY STYLE — PURE
PORK SAUSAGE ..... Lb. 25c
CENTER CUT — RIB
PORK CHOPS ..... Lb. 49c
SKINLESS — TOP QUALITY
WIENERS ..... Lb. 45c
FRESH SEAL-SHIPT
OYSTERS •LARGE SELECTS Standard ..... Pint 69c Pint 79c

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HAM ..... Only Lb. 55c

Holiday Food Needs

PURE IMPORTED OLIVE OIL Pint Jar 59c
TID-BITS HERRING 12-oz. Jar 39c
ROLLED HERRING 12-oz. Jar 35c
BISMARK HERRING In Wine Sauce 12-oz. Jar 35c
IMPORTED—CROSS PACK SARDINES 2 flat cans 49c

Christmas Trees ALL SIZES—ALL PRICES

FANCY HARD XMAS CANDY 5 lbs. $1.00

WHOLE KERNEL — GOLDEN FANCY CORN 2 No. 303 cans 33c
THOMPSON SEEDLESS RAISINS 2 lb. pkgs. 35c
FRESH ENRICHED SLICED BREAD 2 lge. 16-oz. loaves 25c
ADLER'S PURE APPLE BUTTER 27-oz. Jar 21c
MAPPY VALE — TENDER PEAS 2 No. 303 cans 25c

COLORED QUARTERS Margarine lb. 22c

DEL-HI SLICED OR HALVES PEACHES In Syrup 2 No. 2½ cans 55c
STANDARD QUALITY — NEW PACK TOMATOES 2 No. 2 cans 33c
PURE SWEET APPLE CIDER Gallon 59c
CAMPBELL'S DELICIOUS TOMATO SOUP 3 tall cans 31c
WHITE SEA TUNA FISH 2 flat cans 49c

STURGEON BAY FANCY APPLE SAUCE 3 No. 2 cans 35c

CUT SPEARS ASPARAGUS 2 10½-oz. cans 39c
HUNT'S PURE APRICOT PRESERVES 1-lb. Jar 23c
RED, SOUR, PITTED CHERRIES 2 No. 303 cans 39c
AMERICAN BEAUTY — DELICIOUS TOMATO JUICE 46-oz. Can 27c
HEINZ FIG PUDDING 14-oz. can 39c

FROZEN FOODS

SLICED Strawberries 12-oz. Ctn. 33c
WHOLE KERNEL Golden Corn 10-oz. ctn. 19c
TENDER Sweet Peas 12-oz. Ctn. 19c
SMALL GREEN Lima Beans 12-oz. Pkg. 29c

Boatload Sale! ROYAL GELATIN Assorted Flavors 3 pkgs. 17c

CHRISTMAS GIFT SUGGESTIONS

FANCY ASSORTED CHOCOLATES 5 lb. box $1.98
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Prince Albert or Velvet Smoking Tobacco Lb. Can 83c
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GREEN RIDGE

# Legion Aux Plans Supper

By Mrs. Verna Palmer

GREEN RIDGE—American Legion Auxiliary, Unit 491, met in regular session Monday nigha at Bennett hall with Mrs. Harold Lee Baslee presiding. The unit gave the pledge to the flag and read the preamble to the constitution in unison. Routine business was taken care of and several projects were discussed about how to make money.

The members voted to hold an oyster supper and sale for the neighboring units in January. The date of the Christmas party was changed from Dec. 19 to Dec. 21.

Mrs. H. E. Carter, Jr., received the surprise package and Mrs. Luther Hoard received an award.

Following adjournment the hostesses, Mrs. W. F. Binder and Miss Estelle Marti, entertained with games and served refreshments to 14 members and six children.

Robert Page, who is serving with the U.S. Navy based at San Diego, Calif., and his sister, Mrs. Charles Bush and Mr. Bush, and Miss Jean Gulick of Parsons, Kas., were recent overnight guests in the home of Mr. Page's and Mrs. Bush's father, Loraine Page, Mrs. Page and daughters in Green Ridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Dowdy and daughters, who have been residing in the residence property of the late Mrs. W. H. Purchase in Green Ridge, have bought the property for their home from the executors of the estate, C. M. Purchase and J. L. Purchase, Sr.

Claude Baslee, who has been a patient in a hospital for several weeks following a heart attack, has been dismissed from the hospital and has returned to his home in Kansas City.

Ensign Paul Maxwell of the U.S. Navy, accompanied by Miss Wandra Merrell of New York, N. Y., arrived last Sunday morning to spend the holiday season with Maxwell's father, Paul C. Maxwell and Mrs. Maxwell, at their home near Green Ridge.

Following his visit here, Ensign Maxwell will leave for Guatanamo, Cuba, where he will be on active duty with the navy.

J. M. Purchase, who left last Tuesday for Kansas City, where he was inducted into the armed forces, was the guest of honor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Winston Ream and daughters, Joy and Linda, in Sedalia on Saturday evening. Other guests were: Mrs. J. L. Purchase, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Ream, Green Ridge, and Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Herrick and children, Sedalia.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Davis of Pilot Grove were in Green Ridge Saturday night for a short visit with friends. Prof. Davis, who is superintendent of the school at Pilot Grove, is a former superintendent of the Green Ridge school.

Recent guests of Mrs. Nellie Reed were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Twyman, Mrs. Levi Kelle and George Robeson, all of Sedalia.

J. L. Purchase, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Purchase, Sr., of Green Ridge, who was recently inducted into the armed forces, left Kansas City Wednesday for San Diego, Calif., where he will receive his basic training in the Marines.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldo Palmer, Independence, spent last week-end visiting Mrs. Palmer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Helman, at their farm home northeast of Green Ridge. Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Calvert and children and Mrs. Ida McLemore were Sunday afternoon callers in the Helman home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Heibner and Mrs. Mattie Myers attended the funeral services of Mrs. Dick Muir held at the Huston-Turner funeral home in Windsor Monday. Mrs. Muir was a niece of Mrs. Myers.

Fred Beagle, who has been visiting his niece, Mrs. Earl Embree, Mr. Embree and children, and Robert Smith, left Friday to return to his home at New Westminster, British Columbia, Canada.

Mrs. May Garrison of Industry, Ill., and Mrs. Maude Todd of the state of Oklahoma have been recent guests of Mrs. Nellie Reed at her home here. Mrs. Garrison and Mrs. Todd were enroute to Oklahoma where they will spend the winter months at the home of Mrs. Todd.

Recent Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Howe in Green Ridge were: Mr. and Mrs. Ewing Bland and son, Dwight, of Stockton; Mrs. Neva Hamilton and Mrs. Flora Stevenson of El Dorado Springs. Mrs. Stevenson came to spend the winter with her sister, Mrs. Howe.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Borchers, Lincoln, spent Sunday afternoon visiting at the home of Mr. Borchers' sister, Mrs. W. V. Haynes and Mr. Haynes.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carlson and children were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pottorff near Green Ridge.

A Christmas program will be presented at the Green Ridge Presbyterian church Sunday evening, Dec. 23.

Mr. and Mrs. George M. Kendrick and sons of Slater were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Charles Moore at her home here. While here Mr. and Mrs. Kendrick and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Murphy at their farm home near Green Gridge.



**HUMAN TOBOGGAN**—Six happy orphans go for a "ride" on Cpl. Wallace M. Dews, Philadelphia, Pa., as he visits the little victims of the Korean war while on rest leave from his regiment, the U. S. 27th. The famous "Wolfhounds" send monthly donations to the Holy Family Home in Osaka, each month.



THEY KNOW THEIR ONIONS—Albert Bishop, center, 20, of Guilford, Conn., is the champion vegetable-growing youth in the United States. He won the honor and a $500 scholarship award in the 1951 competition of the National Junior Vegetable Growers Association. The award was presented at the association's convention in Cleveland, O. He beat out more than 400 competitors from all over the nation. At left is James McBee of Philippi, W. Va., last year's champ vegetable grower and newly-elected president of the NJVGA. McBee is being congratulated by outgoing President Richard Angus of Farmington, Minn.

## Rita Proposes Her Contract Be Cancelled

HOLLYWOOD, Dec. 20 — (AP) — In a statement on her tiff with Columbia Studio, Rita Hayworth closed today she has proposed cancellation of her contract.

The actress was suspended last Thursday for failure to report for work. She said she objected to the script. Monday Columbia announced they had patched up their differences. But yesterday she was put back on suspension, again for not reporting for work.

Miss Hayworth's statement said that studior boss Harry Cohn had "conceded that if and when I finished the picture he would give me a complete release from my contract.

"With the assurance of the director and Mr. Cohn that the most objectionable content of the story would be revised, I agreed to report to work this past Monday."

However, she continued, her representatives learned that Cohn had withdrawn his offer to complete arrangements for her release.

"I deeply regret," she added, "I am forced to withdraw from the picture."

Her contract has about five years to run. She has not made a film for three years. She has filed suit for divorce from Prince Aly Khan.

**Squatter's Rights**

SINGAPORE—(AP)—The Singapore government is confronted with the problem of ousting squatters from the land where it plans to construct a new municipal airport.

The Singapore branch of the Malayan Chinese association has been asked by the squatters to aid in their protest against the new civil airdrome. Housing is so difficult a problem in Singapore that thousands have squatted on government as well as private property and thrown up ramshackle huts for shelter.

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IONIA

# Cpl. N. Kaiser Suffers Wound In Korean War

By Mrs. Homer Howe

IONIA — Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kaiser received a message Saturday stating their son, Cpl. Norbert Kaiser, had been wounded in Korea Nov. 30. The letter from Norbert to his parents dated Dec. 4, stated he had been struck by a fragment of shrapnel above the left eye. He is hospitalized in the Hospital Directory Section in Korea. Cpl. Kaiser is a nephew of Louis Bormann of Ionia.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gardner and family spent the evening Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Gardner at Lincoln, helping Mr. Gardner celebrate his birthday.

Little Vicky Lynn Tinker of Bowen visited several days the past week in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. T. N. Tinker, while her mother, Mrs. Floyd Tinker and son Dennis Allen were visiting relatives in Illinois. Mrs. Tinker returned Wednesday and Vicky accompanied her home.

Mary Anne Rambow, who is employed in the Producers grocery made a trip to Kansas City Tuesday.

Donald K. Thomas, who has been employed in Kansas City, began working at the M. F. A. elevator Monday.

Charles A. Wilson has purchased the Virgil Skaggs farm, one-half mile east of Ionia.

The United Bible class held its regular bi-monthly party Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Friedly with Mrs. Opal Carnes and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Gardner assisting host and hostesses. Mrs. C. C. Myers had charge of the devotional, reviewing "The Other Wise Men." Several games suitable for the Christmas season were played. Refreshments were served. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kerfoot, Mrs. Edward Knoop and Mrs. Theodora Howe will have charge of the February party.

Mrs. Cora Friedly, Versailles, visited several days the past week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Friedly.

Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Freund and Geneve and Clayton Freund were visiting recently with Ionia friends. Mr. and Mrs. Freund and children were formerly residents of the Ionia community, but a number of years ago moved to Kelso, Wash., for Clayton's health. He was a victim of hay fever. They are now returning to Missouri and are locating near Springfield, again for Clayton's health. He now suffers from asthma.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Englebrecht and two children of Kansas City visited over the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Englebrecht.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Myers, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Moore and daughter, Charlotte, attended the funeral Monday of Mr. Myers' cousin, Mrs. Clarice Myers Muir of Windsor.

**To Study In Africa**

ASHEVILLE, N. C. —(AP)— A well-known southern forester is going to study the effect of trees and tree-cutting on water resources and weather in British East Africa.

The forester is Dr. Charles Hursh of the Southeastern Forest Experiment Station of the Department of Agriculture here. He disclosed today he has been awarded a Fulbright fellowship to make the study.

Dr. Hursh will leave next month by ship for London, where he will spend two weeks with colonial office officials before continuing to Capetown. He will then go overland to his headquarters at Kikuyu, in Kenya Colony.

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# W. E. Ragars Observe 50th Wedding Day

By Mrs. Homer Howe

IONIA—Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ragar celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Sunday at the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Ragar in Sedalia. Their other son, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ragar, also all their grandchildren were present. Mr. and Mrs. Ragar have the two sons mentioned, six grandchildren and two great grand children. Recently they moved from their farm home west of Ionia into what is known as the L. W. Taylor property, which they have purchased.

Miss Grace Perry of Leeton is visiting with her sister Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Brown.

Mrs. Alfred Brown was taken to the Ellis Fischel hospital at Columbia Monday morning. She will undergo a major operation this week. A car load of neighbors and friends went to Columbia Wednesday as blood donors for Mrs. Brown. Those giving blood were: Rev. Houghman, Gladys Chaney, Kenneth Brown, Mrs. Ruth Funk, Mrs. Elroy Wienberg and Ralpha Berry. Mrs. Edward Mueschke also made the trip, but was not accepted.

Many plans for Christmas programs are underway in this community. The Ionia schol will present its program at the school Thursday evening, Dec. 20. Mrs. Opal Williams, the teacher of Pleasant View school, will present her pupils in a program Friday evening, Dec. 21. On Christmas Eve, Dec. 24, a program will be presented at the Methodist church.

L. G. Nixon was taken by ambulance Tuesday evening to the Windsor hospital where he is suffering with pneumonia.

Mrs. J. C. Griffith was called to Windsor Tuesday by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. Sherman Hicks. Mrs. Hicks was taken by ambulance Tuesday evening to Kansas City, where she is a patient of Lakeside hospital.

**No More Steaks**

ST. LOUIS — (AP) — William Thornton was carrying no money when he answered a knock on the door and was confronted by a robber.

But the robber didn't leave empty-handed. He reached in Thornton's pocket and took his false teeth, valued at $75.

**Royalty at Scout Jamboree**

KUALA LUMPUR, Malaya—(AP)—Boy Scouts from the Federation of Malaya will take part in the Scout Jamboree at Ceylon next February during the scheduled visit of Princess Elizabeth and the Duke of Ediburgh to Ceylon.

The executive committee of the Federation's Scout council has announced its acceptance of an invitation from Ceylon to send a patrol of eight Scouts to the jamboree.

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Cake All Butter Pineapple Icing 22-oz. Cake 69c
Eggs Breakfast Gems Large Size Grade A Quality Doz. 57c
Eggs Unclassified 3 and 4 Ctn. Doz. 52c
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Rubbed Sage Crown Colony 1-oz. Can 25c
Stokely's Pumpkin No. 303 Can 15c
Ripe Olives Large Ebony Pint Can 32c
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Cherries Choc. Covered Brach's Villa lb. Box 55c
Cherries Choc. Covered Roxbury lb. Box 49c
Chocolate Drops Old Fashioned Roxbury lb. Bag 25c
Chocolates M & M Candy Coated 7-oz. Pkg. 25c

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Stewing Hens lb. 55c
Ducks Long Island lb. 67c
Fresh Fryers Cut Up lb. 59¢ Whole lb. 57¢

Cranberry Sauce Ocean Spray 2 11-oz. cans 29¢

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SAFEWAY

TIPTON

# Tipton Men, From Overseas, Now at Homes

By Mrs. Thomas W. Miller

TIPTON — Two Tipton young men members of the U. S. Air Force arrived Sunday to be home 20 days. They are Sgt. Johnnie Dearing, son of Mr .and Mrs. James L. Dearing, and Sgt. Jerry Brant, son of Mayor and Mrs. J. J. Brant.

This is Johnnie's first tirp home in over two years during which time he has been on Okinawa. He arrived in California Sept. 28 nd could have come home then on delay en route: but by waiting until now he has a longer furlough.

Jerry arrived in the states last July from Africa, where he had been two years, and was home at that time.

Jerry and Johnnie are both now stationed at Mountain Home, Idaho. Jerry is in the medical department of the Air Force, and Johnnie in the radio division.

Sonny Hudson, a student at Central Missouri State college, Warrensgurg, will arrive home Dec. 21, for Christmas vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Hudson.

At present he is on a trip as a member of the Warrensburg Mules basketball squad into Illinois, Ohio and Kentucky, playing four games on the trip at Quincy, Ill., Dayton, Ohio, Western Kentucky and Southern Illinois.

The twins, a son and a daughter, born last Wednesday to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Long at St. Joseph's hospital, Boonville, have been named Paul and Paulette. The new arrivals, each of whom weighed about six pounds, have been taken from the incubators and they are doing fine.

Herman W. Knipp had on the St. Louis market last Thursday 82 head of two-year-old cattle. They were of different weights and were Whiteface and Angus.

Herman received $32.50 cwt., for them. He accompanied the shipment which required the use of four trucks.

SYRACUSE

# Mrs. Ed Lowrey Fractures Hip In Fall at Home

By Mrs. B. A. Bridges

SYRACUSE — Mrs. Ed Lowrey fell at her home Friday morning and fractured her hip. She was taken by ambulance to a hospital in Jefferson City. Her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Adams, Sedalia, is staying in the home caring for Mr. Lowrey, who is in poor health.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bandall, Stockton, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Campbell.

Cpl. Howard D. Chapman, Baltimore, Md., is spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Chapman. Howard is with the research and development headquarters.

Mrs. Mara Keevil attended the funeral of Mrs. Florence Monsees of Versailles Sunday and the funeral of Mrs. Antweiler on Thursday.

Mrs. Kelly Wyss and Mrs. Truman Radel, Jamestown, visited the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jargensen, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Gulick, Melvin and Janice, Versailles were visitors in the George Peoples home Sunday afternoon.

The Syracuse Homemakers club will sponsor community night with the arrival of Santa Claus and a treat for each child of the community. The caroling will start at 7:15.

Miss Patricia Keevil, student of Central college, Fayette, spent the week-end wtih her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mara Keevil.



**DEMS' MONEY MAN**—Former Gov. Roy Turner of Oklahoma, above, has been named treasurer of the Democratic National Committee by Chairman Frank E. McKinney. Turner, an Oklahoma oil and cattle producer, will fill the vacancy created by resignation of Sidney Salomon, Jr., of St. Louis.

**Favor Flood Aid**

DES MOINES, Ia. —(AP)— Two meetings are being held in southwestern Iowa in connection with the government's program to provide aid for farm areas damaged by excessive rains and floods last spring. Between $400,000 and $500,000 has been allotted by the federal government to 23 southwestern and western Iowa counties for this work.

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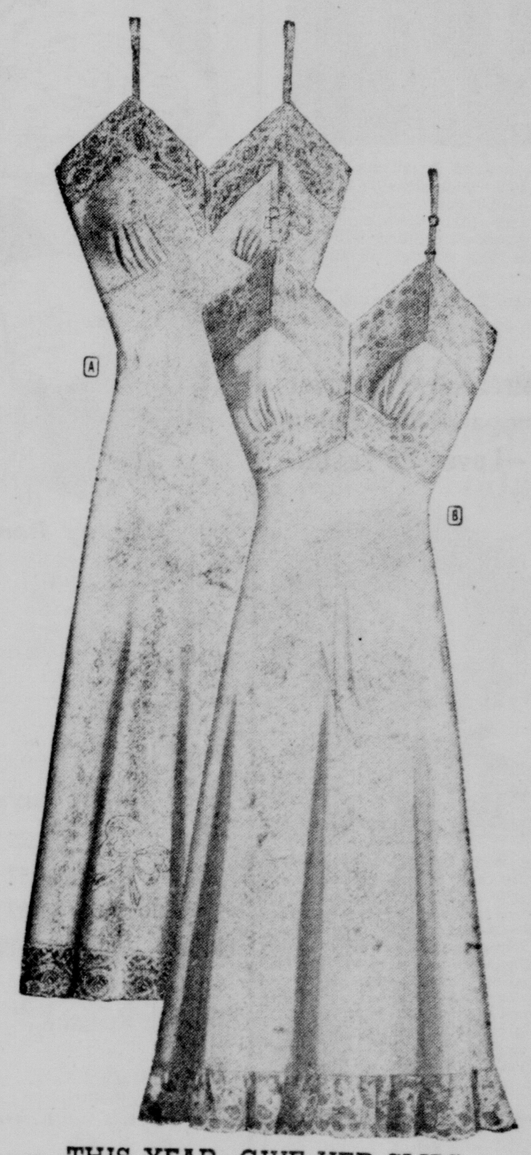
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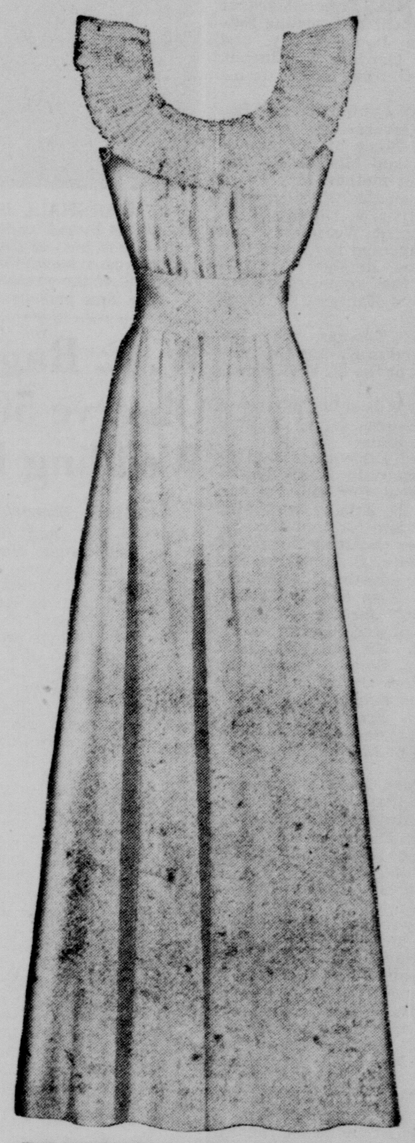
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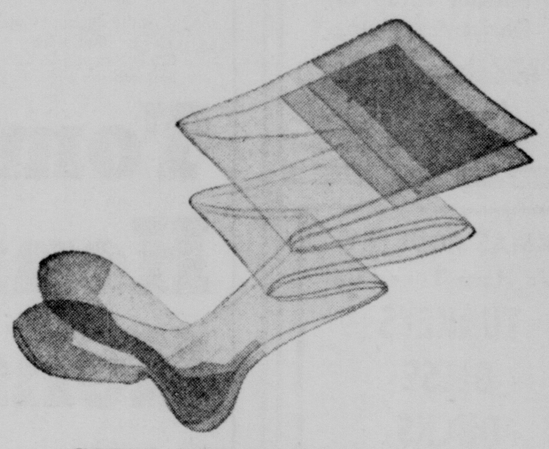
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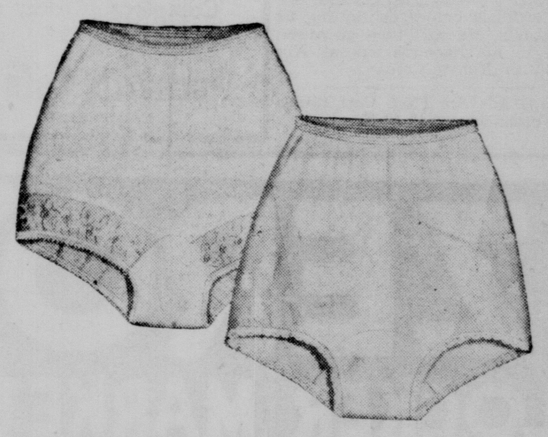


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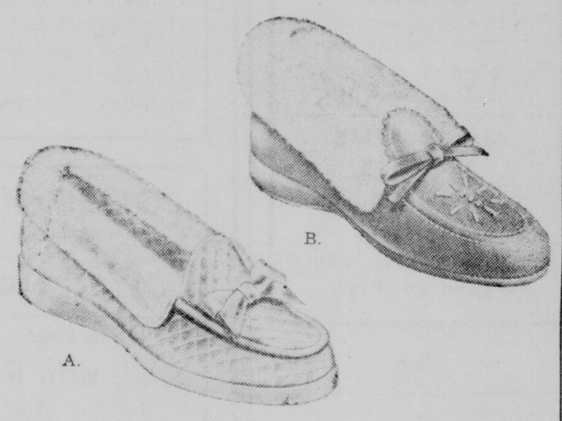
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